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TIONAL CRUSADE AGAINST IMMORALITY WITH PRESIDENT AID

t of the Campaign is o Better Existing Conditions

WOMEN WHO TOIL Y BRAIN OR BRAWN

eral Co-operation Being ought in Effort to Increase Wages.

shington, March 22.—Illinois rusaders, the senatorial com- n headed by Lieutenant Gov- Barrett O'Hara, is in Wash- n today seeking to nationalize cope of their inquiry.

that end the commission first t the aid of President Wilson, whom they conferred at the e House. Lieutenant Governor a was accompanied at his con- ce with the president by the members of the commission, or Edond Beall, F. Jeff Tossey, Woodward and Niel Juul.

ter outlining to the president esults of the inquiry in Illinois, h revealed in many instances girls and young working women paid less than a living wage that many of them led double the commissioners requested resident to call a national con- ce of state governors to plan a matic and sane campaign to r working conditions of women ughout the nation.

deral co-operation was sought he movement already begun in y states for the appointment of commissions, similar to that Illinois to conduct inquiries in- e wage situation and into organ- vice conditions in the various s. At the White House confer- the question of federal inquiry ugh the department of justice the white slave traffic also was ussed. One of the means pro- d as basic relief for women was enactment of a federal minimum e law. Later today the Illinois mission conducted a hearing to h were invited several hun- l prominent welfare workers, gymen, officials and many prom- t women in Washington society club life.

ieutenant Governor O'Hara ght to learn the opinion of wo- who move in high social cir- concerning the influence upon king girls of the extravagance women of wealth.

among prominent women who ar- ted invitations to the conference e Mrs. Edson Bradley, Mrs. nen Jennings, wife of a South ican diamond millionaire; Mrs. istian Hemmick, Madame Have- n, wife of the Belgian min- er; Senora Blanc, wife of the nish minister; Mrs. Huntington lson and Mrs. W. Murray Crane. Ardeen Foster, international com- ssioner of the British federation the emancipation of sweated men and girls and white slavers d a conference with Mr. O'Hara ring the morning and accom- nied the Illinois commission to e White House. The Illinois in- stigators in an executive session day determined not to go to New rk at this time but to return to ringfield from Washington and it New York later.

After Lieutenant Governor O'Hara d urged President Wilson to call conference of governors and rep- sentatives of various state vice mmissions, Senator Juul urged an propriation by congress for homes r girls in six or seven great indus- ial centers where women, traveling om state to state, could be cared r while seeking employment.

The lieutenant governor urged rticularly that the national con- rence be called either this summer r in the fall at which remedial gislation could be discussed and anned. He stated that the governors of 32 states already had agreed to join in the movement. President Wilson thanked the commission for their presentation of the subject.

"I do not believe I can grasp the full gravity of the situation from this brief outline," said the president "but if you will leave with me your recommendations and record of your investigation, I can assure you I will give the matter serious attention."

BAN ON CONFETTI BUT SWAGGER GOES UNDER NEW ORDER

Washington, March 22.—Enlisted men in the United States army in the Philippines can swagger past their officers during band concerts without saluting or otherwise recognizing their superiors' existence, but they must not indulge in any such pleasantries as throwing confetti in the faces of the officers or the officers' wives. This is the burden of an order issued by Major General J. Franklin Bell, commanding the force in the islands. The order, which was received here today, is applicable only to the concerts on the famous Luneta in Manila.

BLOWN UP BY HIS OWN BOMB

City Employe of New York Object of Thorough Investigation.

HIS BODY RIDDLED WITH METAL SCRAPS

When Told He Was Near Death, He Reveals Valuable Information.

New York, March 22.—Blown up by his own bomb, Henry Klotz, a draughtsman in the employ of the city, lies in the Fordham hospital today, so terribly wounded that it is doubtful if he lives to shed further light upon the accident. Bits of nails, screws and small steel slugs from the bomb punctured his face and body in more than 30 places, one eye was destroyed and two fingers of his left hand blown off.

The police continued an investigation of the case. When Klotz was removed to the hospital last night he declared that the exploding bomb was one which he found in a park. When he learned that he had little chance to live he told the police that the bomb was one of his own make. A visit to his room seemed to confirm this for the place was like an arsenal. There were 12 one-pound cans of black gunpowder, 16 shotguns and rifles, revolvers of all sizes and knives and swords of all shapes.

The police were struck by the fact that the house where the accident occurred and where Klotz lived with his mother and two sisters on Fulton avenue, was only two blocks from the apartment house where Mrs. Madeline Herrera was killed and two other persons were injured by the explosion of a bomb very similar to that which Klotz was making. J. P. Farrell, a weak-minded janitor, who has been held in the Tombs for some time, charged with the Herrera bob outrage, which was committed February 2, confessed the guilt but later repudiated the confession.

MY EASTER RABBIT

By SUSIE SMALL.

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THIS rabbit wants to run away,
Des see him jerk an' beg,
But I is goin' to watch him till
He lays a Easter egg!

EFFORT TO RECOVER INTEREST DUE OHIO FROM SEVERAL BANKS

Will Bring Into Publicity Many Financial Institutions

SO FAR UNNAMED IN GRAFT SCANDAL

Hogan Asks for $10,000 to Push to the End, Bank Graft Probe.

Columbus, O., March 22.—The state will try to recover interest from eery bank known to have paid state treasurers interest on alleged unlawful deposits. Two of the banks which will be called upon to pay money to the state are defunct, namely the Union National bank of Columbus, which was closed nearly two years ago, and the Cincinnati Trust Company, of which George B. Cox was president. It is understood that banks in Cleveland and Ashtabula county which it is charged carried clandestine deposits of the state's money will also be invited to step up and settle with the state. It is understood that there are several local financial institutions that will be afforded opportunity to pay the state some interest money on funds loaned out by treasurers who, it is alleged omitted the formality of turning over to the state the interest paid on them.

Steps to collect this interest will be taken as soon as the case of the state against the insolvent Columbus Savings and Trust Company is disposed of. Attorney General Hogan has made it clear that he intends to go after the bondsmen of the former treasurers to realize on the claims of the state and that it is no part of the state's program to recover at the expense of the interest of the depositors.

Monday afternoon Chairman Cowan, of the house finance committee, will be requested to ask an appropriation of $10,000 to cover the expenses of the treasury "graft" investigation cases. Attorney General Hogan will urge that this allowance be made. The need of more money with which to pursue the present inquiry was the subject of a conference held by General Hogan, Master Commissioner George B. Okey, Assistant Attorney General Joseph Metthee and Special Counsel Henry J. Booth, R. W. McCoy and Frank Davis jr., yesterday afternoon.

Legislators Hoodwinked.

Columbus, O., March 22.—Details of how persons interested in sidetracking a probe into the state treasury graft are alleged to have hoodwinked members of the legislature in 1902, and headed off an investigation the sensational facts which have since been disclosed, will be brought out next week by the state in the Columbus Savings and Trust Company bank wrecking inquiry, attorneys stated today.

Acting on rumors that were then current, the solons decided to investigate Treasurer Isaac Cameron's office and see if it were true that he was letting out large sums to banks over the state. It was openly charged at the time that state money was being "farmed out" in large deposits.

Probers Booth and McCoy will next week introduce as evidence an entry in the house of representatives Journal, dated February 19, 1902, showing that a resolution for a probe into this condition was ordered. They will supplant this with a later entry, showing that the finance committee recommended that the probe resolution be indefinitely postponed a few days later. It was.

The finance committee declared that thy had made a preliminary ex-

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FORMER DETECTIVE TURNS OUT TO BE LOWEST OF BEINGS.

Scranton, Pa., March 22.—Harry Kulp, a former detective of Wilkesbarre, Pa., was found guilty in the United States court here today on charges of peonage and white slavery in securing women ostensibly for domestic service in West Virginia hotels. It was testified during the trial that the women were promised employment in hotels, but that when they reached West Virginia they were taken to mining camps and compelled to associate with men who had been employed to take the places of striking mine workers.

The women who testified against Kulp came from Pennsylvania anthracite mining towns.

MURDER WRONG MAN IN EFFORT TO KILL CHINESE GENERAL

Shanghai, March 22.—General Sung, a former Chinese minister of education, died today from the effects of wounds he received on March 20 when an attempt was made to assassinate him at the railroad station.

Before his death, General Sung received a letter telling him that he had been shot by mistake instead of General Huang-Sing, commander-in-chief of southern Fu-Kien who also was in the station at the time. The writer hoped that General Sung would "have perpetual rest."

BLESSING OF BEING THIN

Comes Home to Man Caught Between Two Express Trains.

LIFE SAVED BY A NARROW MARGIN.

Air Suction Almost Drew Him Under Onrushing Wheels.

Hartford, Conn., March 22.—By standing sideways and holding himself perfectly erect between two express trains that whirled by him in opposite directions, William Scott of Westminster, B. C., escaped unhurt at the Avon street crossing here late last night. His companion, Thomas H. Ryan of Binghampton, N. Y., tried to dart across the tracks. One of the trains caught and mangled him and throw his body 200 yards down the track. The two men had started across the track oblivious of the fact that either train was approaching. When the trains bore down upon them Scott realized that it would mean death to run in either direction and with rare presence of mind he recalled having read that there was leeway of an inch or so between passing trains for a man of average size if he could hold himself erect.

Scott did not find it easy to hold his feet. The air suction produced by the two trains nearly pulled him over but he set his muscles so firmly that when the trains passed he could not unlimber unless he was assisted.

CHIEF WILLIS MOORE OF WEATHER BUREAU TENDERS RESIGNATION

Washington, March 23.—Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, resigned today. Secretary Houston accepted the resignation after a talk with President Wilson, to become effective July 31. Professor Moore is a democrat and was a candidate for appointment as secretary of agriculture.

Secretary Houston explained that the office of chief of the weather bureau was not covered by civil service and was a presidential appointment.

"We have no one in mind now," said the secretary, "but will try to get the best man we can of scientific ability and administrative talent."

When President Wilson came into office and officials of the department of agriculture holding presidential appointments handed in their resignations, Professor Moore was not among them. Previously, however, petitions had been circulated urging upon President Wilson the selection of Professor Moore to be secretary of agriculture. Since Secretary Houston was appointed, the White House has received large quantities of letters and telegrams urging that Professor Moore be retained in office as chief of the weather bureau.

The first intimation that Professor Moore intended to quit was today when it was said at the White House that he "would resign."

Moore declined to discuss it and later hurried to the department of agriculture for a conference with Secretary Houston. Mr. Moore emerged from the secretary's office somewhat disturbed, colleagues in the outside office thought, and later his resignation was announced. Professor Moore himself later declined to make a statement.

MUSIC FOR EASTER COSTS NEW YORKERS THOUSANDS YEARLY

New York, March 22.—Home-made music will be in vogue for Easter services in New York churches tomorrow. In recent years the more wealthy churches have largely increased their expenditures for music with the result that many choirs are being maintained at an expense of over $10,000 a year, exclusive of sums double that amount which are paid for the maintenance of a few choir schools. It is said that there were never so many composers as at present among New York choir masters and Easter preparations include more original music than probably has ever been given before here.

STEAMERS COLLIDE DURING HEAVY FOG DOING MUCH DAMAGE

Vineyard Haven, Mass., March 22.—The revenue cutter Itasca left Woodshole to assist the steamers City of Macon and James S. Whitney, which were in collision in a heavy fog in Vineyard sound late last night. The steamers anchored after the accident. An eight-foot hole was torn in the side of the City of Macon above the water line and the bow of the Whitney was broken in when the steamers crashed. No one was injured.

The City of Macon was bound from Savannah to Boston with a few passengers and a cargo of freight. The Whitney was bound from New York to Boston with freight.

The collision came without warning in a dense fog. The vessels struck practically head on.

ANNIHILATION OF FRENCH TROOPS BY FANATICAL ARABS.

Paris, March 22.—Despatches today told of the virtual annihilation of a small column of French troops by Arabs in the Aderar region of the western Sahara. A body of 1,000 of the intractable Berber tribe of Awellemid swooped down and surrounded the French detachment, which was marching through the shifting sands of the desert about three days' journey from Timbuktu, the French military station. After a fight lasting all day, the French troops were overcome. Their commander, Lieutenant Martin, and four sergeants were killed, together with 53 native troopers. A few troopers escaped on pack horses and brought the news to headquarters in Timbuktu. They declared that the Arabs suffered tremendous losses before the ammunition of the French troops was exhausted.

FRENCH BARK MARIE POUNDED TO PIECES ON NORTH SEA COAST

Grimsby, England, March 22.—The French bark Marie, from San Francisco for Hull, at the end of her long voyage today met with disaster and destruction here. Her captain and crew of 24 men were saved by the trawler Amer.

The Marie went ashore before daybreak on Haisborough sands in the North sea during blizzard. It was quickly pounded to pieces by terrific seas. The crew was in a desperate plight and had to stop when the Amer came up, launched a lifeboat and took off the crew, making several perilous trips.

RED CROSS ANSWERS CRY FOR ASSISTANCE FROM STRICKEN TOWN

Washington, March 22.—Under rush orders from Secretary Garrison, a medical officer and three members of the army hospital corps are proceeding from Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to Lower Beachtree, Ala., the town virtually wiped off the map by Thursday's and Friday's tornado. The action was taken after an appeal for help was received by President Wilson.

The American Red Cross today notified the governor of Alabama that it would give all aid possible to the sufferers in the stricken district. The Red Cross agent at Birmingham was asked to make a report on the extent of the damage done by the tornado.

Crippled for Weeks.

Chicago, March 22.—So severe was the effect of the sleet storm yesterday on telegraph and telephone wires that it will be several weeks before the damage has been repaired completely. There was some improvement today, but at best telegraphic service was feeble and liable to interruption. Some curious routings of messages were made necessary by the prostration of wires. It is only 85 miles from Chicago to Milwaukee, but press telegrams between the two cities had to travel 2,000 miles or more. Telegrams from Chicago went from Chicago to Pittsburgh and around on a leased wire through Columbus, O., Cincinnati, Omaha, Kansas City and Minneapolis to Milwaukee. The Associated Press leased wire to Peoria was routed via Pittsburgh and St. Louis.

It is estimated that damage done to wires will aggregate $2,000,000, the heaviest loss the telegraph and telephone companies have suffered from storms in the last five years.

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AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE FAUROT.

Tonight and Sunday — Motion Pictures.

Wednesday and Thursday Nights —Wayfarers' Minstrels.

Next Saturday and Sunday—Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival.

AT THE ORPHEUM.

All Week—Vaudeville.

AT THE LYRIC.

All Week—Barrett Players.

Motion pictures held the boards at the Faurot opera house during the past week, the management wisely adhering to an established rule to book no productions during Holy Week. The attendance at the popular priced theatre was naturally affected, but not so much as to make the week an unprofitable one from a financial standpoint.

The monkey circus at the Orpheum during the first three days of the week was one of the best acts of its kind ever seen in this city, and proved a great drawing card, business being considerably heavier than during the last three days.

The Barrett Players offered two stellar attractions during the week, "The House of a Thousand Candles" and "Ishmael," and as a result, business was much better than had been expected. Next week the popular company will present "Mother," which proved such a hit when presented by a Brady company at the Faurot two seasons ago.

Nothing in the dramatic or musical line will be seen at the Faurot next week, but the Wayfarers' Minstrels is expected to pack the theatre on Wednesday and Thursday nights. Those who have seen late rehearsals are authority for the statement that the popular young entertainers will score a knockout with their production this season. Their performances in the past are enough to insure a finished and entertaining performance.

Next Saturday and Sunday, Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival will make its semi-annual appearance at the Faurot, and as usual, will play to packed houses, as the people of this city never seem to tire of Howe's pictures.

The engagement of David Warfield at the Faurot opera house, which is scheduled for Saturday, April 5, easily takes precedence as the most important offering of the season. Mr. Warfield will appear in David Belasco's thrilling play, "The Return of Peter Grimm." It is stated that Mr. Warfield will play an evening performance only.

Charles Callahan, Lima's "Honey Boy," and one of the headliners of the Wayfarers' Minstrels, has entered the limerick contest with this:

There was a young girl from St. Lee,
Who was stung on the arm by a wasp.
When they asked, "Does it hurt?"
She replied, "No, it doesn't
But I thought all the while 'twas a hornet."

Besides "The Return of Peter Grimm," Lima will see another of David Belasco's plays, "The Woman," before the season closes.

"A Butterfly On the Wheel," which is now playing in New York where it has been since last November, will be one of the notable attractions to be sent to this city during the present season by the Independents. The production is under the direction of Mr. Lewis Waller, the distinguished English actor-manager, who came to this country last season. It was he who prevailed upon the Shuberts to open one of their New York theatres for "A Butterfly on the Wheel." The success of the play was instantaneous.

It tells the story of a wife, who, believing herself to be neglected by her husband, flirts with another man with the result that she is sued for divorce. The big success in the play shows the court room with the wife on the witness stand. This is said to be one of the most dramatic incidents ever depicted. The examination proves too much for the "butterfly" who in the end swoons. The play has been praised by hundreds of well known people, many of whom have voluntarily written testimonials to Mr. Waller.

George M. Cohan continues to develop and in that there is cause for satisfaction, for Mr. Cohan both as an actor and a writer has shown an unusual capacity for conveying to the stage a record of genuine impressions.

In "Broadway Jones," his latest play, which is shortly to be presented here, his types and his scenes, though occasionally admitting exaggerations, designed to increase their humorous or theatrical effectiveness, are certainly racy of the soil.

"Breadway Jones" could not by any chance be converted into a Piccadilly Jones, for he is as truly United States as that flag which in some of his songs Mr. Cohan converted to his own particular uses.

THE FAUROT PICTURES.

Tonight, tomorrow and Monday the Faurot will offer especially attractive programs of motion pictures, all of the Universal brand. This evening the special features of the four-reel program are "Love and the Workman," one of those delightful Victor comedies, with the universal favorite, Owen Moore in the leading role, and an impressive Rex drama, entitled "The Empty Box."

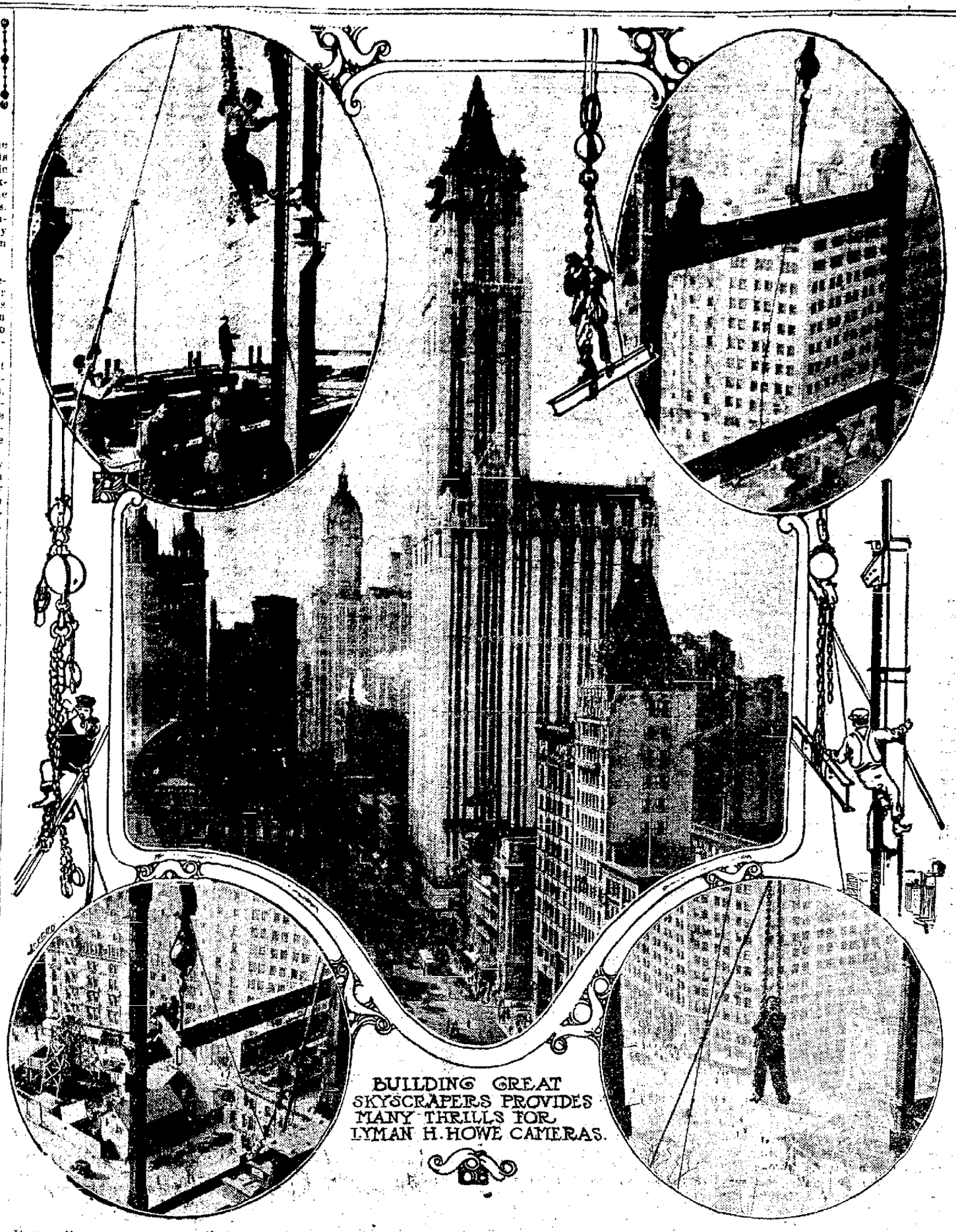
For Sunday the program will include two uproariously funny Imp comedies, "Leo's Vacation" and "Binks' Gouty Foot." The great feature however, will be the latest Animated Weekly, which pictures the leading events of the world to your eyes in 20 minutes.

On Monday a great film has been secured in the latest "Bison 101" release, "The Battle of Bunker Hill." It is said to be even finer than their "Sheridan's Ride" and has created a genuine sensation wherever so far shown. It is in three reels and will be exhibited on Monday only.

When Blanche Bates goes on tour in the A. E. W. Mason play, "The Witness for the Defence," her cast will include Frank Kemble-Cooper, Gaston Mervale, Ernest Stallard, Frank Elliott, Arthur Lewis, Frederick Powell, W. S. Phillips and Evelyn Carrington. Miss Bates will play the "The Witness for the Defence," practically all over the country, at least as far west as San Francisco.

One of the operettas that Charles Frohman is to produce next season was originally done and, in fact, had a long career at the Carl theatre, Vienna, under the title of "Das Puppen-madel" ("The Doll - Girl.") Originally "The Doll Girl" had for its libretto a free version of Caillavet and De Flers' "Miquette Aet Sa Mere" ("Miquette and Her Mother.") But this libretto will be further made over for the American stage by Harry B. Smith, who did the book for "The Sunshine Girl." The music of "The Doll Girl" is by the late Leo Fall, author of "The Dollar Princess."

One of the really startling features of the Julia Sanderson musical comedy, "The Sunshine Girl," is the dance performed by the two Castles —Vernon and Irene—in the second act. It is an extraordinary exhibition of agility, grace and that aerial quality which is the chief charm of all dancing. As preparation for their dances each nigh behind scenes both Mr. and Mrs. Castle give a good ten minutes to a curious kind of limbering-up. Before going on the stage each has a habit of firmly fixing the right foot on a table or the back of a chair in such a way that the leg is exactly at right angles with the body. Then standing rigidly each dancer bends the body forward until the face touches the knee—a feat in itself impossible to the ordinary being. A half dozen of such "dips" renders each dancer as flexible as a stick of bamboo.



It wasn't many years ago that people looked with amazement at the construction of a 12-story building near this group.

You couldn't have found a man in New York at that time who even dreamed of a structure with 55 stories above the ground. In fact, the wise ones shook their heads when a newspaper led the march to high altitudes and built that first "skyscraper" with 12 flights of steps to its tower.

"They'll come down!" declared most New Yorkers.

They've been going up ever since.

The illustration printed above will give the reader an idea of how part of greater New York's skyline looks today. This photograph was taken a few weeks ago especially for this newspaper by Lyman H. Howe.

The noted Travel Festival man had several of his cameras follow each step in the building of the big structures that have lately been completed. The photographers had many sensational experiences in making the film: from the dizzy heights. They made a reproduction of the most dangerous feats of the structural iron-workers. Local architects and builders will no doubt be especially interested in these skyscraper scenes when Mr. Howe presents them at the Faurot next Saturday and Sunday, giving four exhibitions in the two days.

Dynamiting a mountain; a race for life by three panic-stricken refugees, pursued by infuriated lions; a ride through the Niagara Gorge; another through the Simplon tunnel connecting Italy and Switzerland; a pictorial excursion through quaint Holland; a visit to Milan Cathedral, to La Granja—the summer residence of the Kings of Spain—and to a model American Military Academy at Culver, Indiana, showing the student's life, activities, sports, etc., during his entire career from a raw recruit to graduation day; also bird studies, in the exact hues of nature. Paris fashions, jelly fish of the Mediterranean, and the clever Oriental meth ds of trapping monkeys are only a few of the other subjects of surpassing charm and interest to be presented on the forthcoming engagement.

It will be noted that Mr. Howe will give a special Sunday matinee on this visit. Last fall hundreds came to the theatre to see an afternoon exhibition only to be disappointed and the theatre was not large enough to hold the crowd at night. Another special concession to his Lima patrons will be the reservation of seats at both afternoon and evening performances.

A SERVANT OF THE PUBLIC.

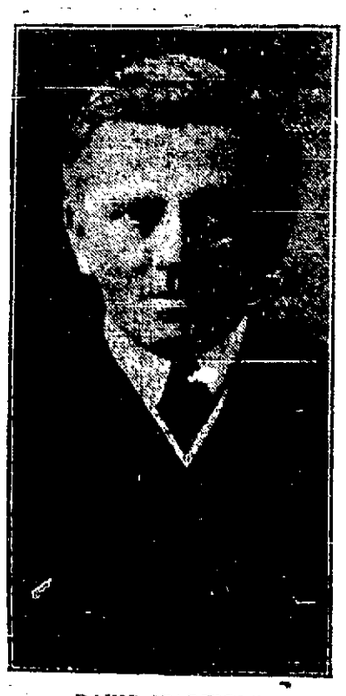
By George P. Goodale.

Maude Adams is one of the most likable of present stage women. To the persons that keep in touch with the more intimate side of theatrical life the reasons for this sentiment are obvious. In the first place, Miss Adams has never offensively obstructed herself upon public notice by sensational exploiting in the newspapers. She leads the ideal life of the conscientious, serious-minded and self-respecting player, whose concern is not how much money or notoriety she can coin, but how best serve the public and still remain true to her convictions as to what her calling demands in the way of personal effort and personal effacement. Always she gives to the public the finest manifestation of her study and her talent. Her private life she maintains inviolate. Everything about her is healthy, wholesome and winning. She is essentially and entirely feminine, even when in the guise of "Chantecler" or "Peter Pan," and she is guiltless of the artificial pose that we usually associate with representatives of her calling. To the old she is a delight, and to the young a happy combination of comrade and inspiration.

Miss Adams is fond of dogs, and she has the good taste to leave them at home when she goes on tour. She would have us understand that she does not wish to rival the late Mr. Van Amburgh in the menagerie business. Moreover, she does not sport a private railway car. A comfortable tavern is good enough for her to eat and sleep in, and as a place where to receive her friends; and when actually on the rails a Pullman of the general service seems to meet all her requirements.

By some strange mischance her personal opinions concerning public and ethical questions, unlike most Thespians, do not get into print. Common sense is one of her salient characteristics. Some may say that this is because she is directed by a shrewd manager. Well, we know that what Charles Frohman could not accomplish in advancing the popularity of stars whose movements he controls were better left untried: but it is a long time, as theatrical careers go, since Maude Adams made her first success in a Charles H. Hoyt comedy, in the part of a very young and very unsophisticated school girl. Many persons at that time inclined to estimate her as the most charming of contemporaneous ingenues. She was not "managed" then, but was at liberty to do as she liked. Yet she failed to develop into sensationalism.

It is a monumental fact that in her own walk of life Maude Adams has only well-wishers. This would seem to dispose of the common libel that actors are jealous and envious backbiters. It was made particularly apparent when she was chosen as leading lady for John Drew in his first season as a Frohman star. We all assumed that some veteran would demand that honor, therefore there were both surprise and rejoicing when that significant promotion came to happy little Maude Adams.



DAVID WARFIELD.
Famous actor to appear at the Faurot on April 5, in "The Return of Peter Grimm."

GETTING THERE.

Every now and then there appears in almost any theatre a rare and delightful mystery. A young man, more frequently a young girl, appears at the footlights and immediately establishes a wave of tense sympathy with the audience. They may never have appeared before, or, if they have nobody has ever noticed them particularly. The delight comes from the sensation of swift surprise; the mystery is far more difficult to explain. Read the inevitable interviews with the fortunate ones next day and you will be struck with a complete inarticulateness; for the player is frequently less able to explain his or her success than the spectator. Suffice it to say that he or she makes good; just "gets there." The achievement depends only partly on stage knowledge, gained either by inheritance or personal experience. It derives partly from prettiness, and, to a greater extent from personal magnetism. This last, question begging term, is a full explanation of why some players "get there" and others do not. But it was in just such a manner that Miss Billie Burke one night came down to the footlights of the Adelphi theatre, London—unknown and unadvertised— to sing a little song called "My Little Canoe." Instantly the entire audience was "for" Billie Burke, individually and collectively. It was all just as much of a surprise to Miss Burke as to her audience. The simple fact is that from the beginning Miss Burke has possessed this secret, not to be even explained by her, of winning an entire audience merely by standing before them. "Behind every fine artistic achievement stands a fascinating individual," Oscar Wilde once said. Behind every "Treasure Island" a Robert Louis; behind every "Lady Nicotine" a J. M. Barrie; behind every "Pendennis" a Thackeray. Only in the theatre more than in any other craft, because the drama is the most personal of all arts, does the personal equation outweigh all other factors.

MERRY MAKERS' MINSTRELS.

Among the soloists who will sing at the Merry Makers' Minstrels will be Walter Grubb, Paul Timmerman, Clayton Pfeiffer, Russell Bressler. They will sing the latest song hits, and Russell Ferrall will be interlocutor, filing this position as well as any one that could have been selected for the place. Mr. Ferrall has had much experience in this line and promises to be the hit of the minstrel. Among the end men will be seen Ralph Tarbutton, Donald haffey, Mark Rudy, and Wilbur weese. These persons are consid by all who have seen them act as funniest persons that could have cured. Business Manager Thorp written to some 20 towns in this of the state for dates and it is p able that he will secure many ov town dates. About five dates are ready decided upon. Negotia are under way between Mr. T and the Woodman lodge to pu the play in the near future for benefit of the Woodman base team. Music for the play has secured for the play from the lishers and includes many of the est songs. The books for the have been ordered and will be soon.

THE ORPHEUM.

Last night at the Empress the in Chicago, the Morton-Je troupe of club jugglers closed week's engagement. The vaude columns of the big Chicago pa declare their act one of the great of the kind ever seen there and unanimous in pronouncing it gor ously costumed. The Morton-Je troupe will arrive in Lima tomor and beginning with the matinee to day afternoon will head the big here. The act was here last year will be remembered by many as of the cleverest things of its ki ever seen on any stage.

Another act on the bill wh opens Monday that will attract orable comment is George Berry company in their comedy sketch, to be constructed of laughs o The Marimbo duo will look after musical end of the bill. It is a sical act different from the ordin run and was a hit last week at dianapolis. Meade and Sparks h a singing act that is interspers with a bit of new and different rea reading tests. Hayes and Wy have a lively singing and talking and the great Orpheumscope show new film pictures at the c of each performance.

AT THE LYRIC.

The Barrett Players will offer theatregoers of Lima a dramatic treat commencing Monday night the big New York success by Jul Ecfert Goodman, the beautiful st of home life, "Mother," one of most interesting and entertaini plays ever presented. Many theat goers will recall "Mother" when played the Faurot theatre last seaso with Mary Shaw in the title rol and will recall with pleasure the e cellent performance given; the in teresting story of the play, the beau tiful home story, with Mother alwa as the guiding hand, the troublesom twins, the erring son, the swe scene of forgiveness by Mother, th infatuation of the son for the chee girl, and his awakening, and man other points of this great New Yor success. The Barrett players a offering this attraction to Lima the tregoers at great expense for the fir time in Lima at popular prices, a are giving a regular $1.50 attrac tion for a small price of admissio Special scenery from the brush Artist Bray will add to the produc tion, and Mr. Barrett will leav nothing undone to present "Mother in a manner that will compare fa orably with its high price rivals. Mi Anna May will be seen in the ro made famous by Grace George a Mary Shaw, and high class portrays an be assured of this sweet and pa thetic role, while the other mem bers of the cast will all have part that will further endear them t the public affection. While the ex pense of the production will be grea there will be no change or raise i the prices, the same scale of prices prevailing.

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Miss Grace McClurg Writes Home Folks Of Her Experiences

A series of letters written by iss Grace McClurg, who sailed om San Francisco, November th on her way to Hinghwa, hina, where she will teach in a ission school, have been re- ived by her parents, Mr. and rs. J. K. McClurg, of 602 uth Metcalf street, Lima. ey will appear in the Times- emocrat from time to time— ditor's note.

ingwa, China, Feb. 4, 1913.

Dear Parents.

did not write last night, as I have doing, for Mr. and Mrs. Dildine invited over to the English side dinner party and I kept the dren. Just at present Mrs Dil- has no one rel able to take care he children You know they e gone into Brewsters' house and k they having gone home on ough, and the servants go along the house They are not desir- in some way, but she has to out with them until she can dismiss n to some one else. It is very to turn off a worker out here, can not fall into something as easily as we do at home If a housewife out here, I would times gather train my own s turn take someone else's lot, cially if they were of uncertain dards, and had been allowed to hazard for years past. I hope does get some nice woman to her with the children It is al- impossible to do without su , yet when you know the terrible s that some of the caretakers and tell, you do not blame the d mother for attempting the ossible.

an you imagine what I have been g? Helping butcher. No, not e that, but helping to cut up half which was butchered yesterday. whole pig was butchered, but I worked on half. Now, am I r? Pork such as we buy on the et is very questionable, to say hing of its being inferior. So Dildine and Mr Carson, both ners sons, bought two pigs, se wholesomeness they verified, then had them butchered in the son compound, watching the pro- until the porks were ready to g up Each of the four families k a half, and all are thankful to gentlemen for their work Last k three of the men went hunting cation time) and brought back deer. Good meat is a treat e.

This is China New Year time, and means more here than Christmas s at home, I believe. Everyone so busy settling up accounts and ing off or collecting old debts t you can hardly get anyone to anything for you At the same e, everyone wants to convert ything possible into money so as have the wherewithal to pay debts have enough left for feast and rackers, too It seems to me to our New Year, Fourth of July, e, and Thanksgiving all in one, , alas, no Christmas, except for Christians Schools are all sed for vacation, and my teacher had to take this week off. To- rrow night is New Year Eve, and is the feast night. All city ks, whose clan centers are nearby lages, have gone out to the "old mestead" places for big family re- ions. Yes, this season takes in gust time at home when the groves full of clan gatherings there

An interruption—my bby has just en in to tell me that the dining om clock "has quit walking" Isn't that funny? But it is different than our saying "going" or "running."

This is also the time for weddings, and a man who is going to get married is the busiest of the busy, for he has more preparations to make than a bride at home. I do not know yet what they are, but I know if one speaks of trying to get this man or that to do a certain thing the answer may come, "Oh, he is going to be married next week, so you can't get him." I do know this, that just before and after the wedding there are feasts, and the jollification lasts three days after the ceremony before the couple may be left to themselves. I never knew before how the customs of the country weave the fabric of the language. This is just one instance: The bride is not called bride at all, but "seemu," daughter-in-law. I saw a church wedding Saturday. One of our preachers, a young widower, married one of our nurses in the hospital, an orphan girl who had reached the "wrecked" age of twenty-eight without being betrothed. In the Christian Chinese ceremony there is the endeavor to keep to the custom of the country as much as possible, yet eliminate everything that smacks of heathenism and idolatry. This day the church bell rang at ten and the wedding was to be at eleven Noon came, and we sat down to dinner. We had finished eating before the bell rang announcing the arrival of the bride. True to habit, she had kept the groom waiting She was brought in a bridal chair, an ugly one, according to our view, one all scrawled over with red, and covered up tight, so that the populace could not see her as she passed by. The chair was carried down the aisle and put down. The groom, who was standing talking to some other men, turned long enough to unlatch the door, and the "bride's matron" led her to the chair which was placed for her before the altar. Then the groom took his place by the other chair, a few feet away. I wish you could have seen that woman attendant, she was, if anything, above the average. You know, the bride's family never accompany her to the home of the groom, where the ceremony usually takes place, and so not to the church, either. It is not Chinese etiquette An old hag or two, hired for the occasion, stay by the girl This one was an old, dirty, field woman, in faded blue denim coat, patched hit and miss with all sorts of colors; almost bald-headed, and the little wisp of hair left holding on the hideous head-gear that some of the coolie women wear, bare footed; catarrah and sore eyes, and this woman fortunate to have an old dirty rag for a handkerchief. The ring ceremony was used, and the awkwardness with which the groom got the ring on, with the help of the old woman, (he did not touch the girl) was very funny to us. And all the time the girl had her face heavily veiled with a thick red cloth so that she couldn't see That is also being done away with in Christian communities. When it came time for the bride to answer she wouldn't say a word. That is a relic of custom, too. The old woman answered for her, as in the heathen rites, but the preacher demanded the girl's answer. He was in a box, and laughed out from sheer nervous embarrassment. He stopped to tell two other preachers present, one a presiding elder, that she would not answer, and what should he do Again the girl was asked for her answer, and the woman said that she had said yes, but I have my doubts, and I think the preacher did too In the meantime the dirty heathen, composing most of the congregation, crowded around, standing with curious eyes and gaping mouths all but in front of the couple A few of the schoolgirls and we women here were the only others there The church is on a corner of our compound. One of the ladies, the only one who could play the organ, had been dressing when the bell rang. She had her hair done up in "quick curlers," but hastily covered her head with a knit cap, slipped on a sweater for a waist and wore her black petticoat. She "presided at the organ." Think of the contrast to a wedding at home which no matter how poor or simple has something beautiful about it. I do not want you to think that we are careless about dressing out here. The very fact that it is easy to become lax is the very reason why we are more careful than at home. That was just a rare case. This girl, in common with other Chinese brides, was taken to the bridal-chamber, where for three days any one is at liberty to come and make such remarks as they please about her. We called that afternoon as a courtesy to the new couple, admiring the wedding outfit. Of course the groom was not about. The room to which she goes is always darkened, if not naturally so. During the three days she is not supposed to say a word, no matter how vile or insulting are the remarks of nasty old men and women. They say that our own language cannot express the filth of mouth that is common at such times. And if the bride is commanded to do immodest things or repeat dirty talk, she is obliged to do as she is bidden. I doubt not that in families of naturally refined tastes ther is an effort to offset this and certainly the Christians oppose such customs. I know of one case in FooChow when I was there, where the bride had grown up in the orphanage cared for by a very fine woman She, as representing the girl's parents, saw to it that a couple of Christian women were the matrons After the wedding, when curious, vile-minded people asked her to say things of which, in her contact with the mission, she was absolutely ignorant, these matrons said, "Oh, she knows nothing about that. She knows some things, though. She can repeat a lot of Bible passages. I will get her to do that for you instead." And she did. Isn't that a case where the evil heart of man is made to praise God? I am sure that there are no happier marriages in China than those from that orphanage, where Miss Wells has the interest of the girls at heart when she arranges the betrothal, and not how much money she can get for her. She always manages somehow, too, to let the parties concerned see each other, without the other's knowledge, and makes the girl say whether she would be willing to take the man She can tell some of the funniest things of how she gets an affirmative answer, for Chinese girls are reluctant to speak, that is, they are too modest to express their approval "Tomorrow I must answer the groom's parents I put this thing here. If it is still here in the morning, I will accept the offer." Usually the "thing" remains, for Miss Wells is wise in choosing, and the December wedding was a very happy one, there being love before hand After the three days it is proper for the bride to return to her mother for a visit, and so Miss Wells very properly invited the couple back for dinner on the fourth day The husband told with glowing eyes how fine a little wife he had, and how thankful he was to Miss Wells That kind of statement could come only from a Christian, and surely it is a fine couple All during the visit the bride's family makes a show of sending things to her Usually it is a great sham Cakes, fruits, clothing etc., are carried open through the streets. Miss Wells sent no useless gewgaws but things of true worth The ornament was a prettily decorated cake (The Chinese make the prettiest decorations on cakes you could find anywhere), and then followed at intervals her clothing, little trunk etc Of course, everything was carried open on trays for the world to see I am sure that little bride was not ashamed of her "wedding presents" Miss Wells took care that the Chinese should see that she respected her little word highly.

I have been finishing this on Wednesday I am tempted to start again and tell you all about the sights I saw on the street this morning, the band of beggars, the butchering, the market, etc., etc But it is too much, and will do for the next time The weather is fine again At last the soldiers are fighting the opium More of that next time Always so much to write Oh my!

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A Cowardly Hero

She Judged Him Too Harshly

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Gregory Barton opened the gate into the next yard and walked around to the back door. The path was bordered with snowy clam shells, and in the brown earth beds there stood sentinel rows of crocuses and tulips, for it was spring.

He rapped smartly and a light, quick step sounded across the floor. The door was flung wide open, and he looked into the surprised countenance of his neighbor Janet Norton

"Mother's gone down to the village," said Janet as she pushed a chair toward her early caller and knelt down before the oven. She opened the door and drew out a pan of crisp sugar cookies. "Won't you have a cooky?" she asked, heaping them on to a platter.

Gregory ate the cooky, pronouncing it the most delicious morsel he had ever tasted. He watched Janet passing to and fro, slim and graceful in her neat house gown, sweet and capable and most adorable.

As for Janet, she was so accustomed to seeing Gregory Barton, for he had always been her next door neighbor, that she gave little heed to the fact that he was exceedingly good looking and well mannered and that his attentions were eagerly sought for by the village girls. To Janet he was merely a good natured young farmer fon whom she had always entertained a slight contempt ever since an unfortunate episode of his boyhood

Now she tried to put the recollection of her distaste for him out of her mind. She knew she was a hero worshiper,

"RUN, RUN, WHILE YOU CAN!" HE COMMANDED FIERCELY

and she realized that she could not expect all men to measure up to her lofty standards Gregory Barton was what he was, and she would be kind to him. Janet was still very young and sufficient unto herself

"That's the best cooky I ever ate," declared Gregory, refusing another one from the heaped up plate

"I don't see how you can conscientiously say that when your mother makes such lovely ones" dimpled Janet.

"These beat mother's," asserted Gregory.

"It's the same recipe"

"Don't make any difference Say, Janet, don't you think it's queer we've always been neighbors and yet we hardly know each other?" Gregory looked at his fair neighbor with frank admiration in his brown eyes.

"Oh I don't know Of course I've been away from home a lot," evaded Janet

"That's so I say Janet, the circus is coming day after tomorrow. Wouldn't you like to go?"

Janet blushed and hesitated She wanted very much to go to the circus, and nobody but Gregory had invited her Feeling as she did toward Gregory Barton, she did not think it fair to accept his invitation She wished rather impatiently that the incident of the red cow had never occurred. Why couldn't she think of Gregory as something besides a coward?

Before she could frame her refusal the telephone rang clamorously. Janet took down the receiver.

"Yes?" she called "Yes, indeed! Thank you, Dan I'd love to go Good by."

"I am sorry, Gregory," she said, turning from the instrument, "but I've already promised to go with somebody else"

Bitten by sudden jealousy, Gregory sprang to his feet The red blood invaded his cheeks "You've just promised to go You wasn't engaged to go when I asked you," he said accusingly

"Well, what of it?" asked Janet haughtily.

Gregory, somewhat dazed at her coldness, picked up his hat and twisted it roughly "Why nothing of it," he said bluntly. "You never liked me, Janet I wonder why" He looked directly at her, and as he gazed at her proudly poised little head and noted the soft curve of cheek and chin and the dark blue of her eyes from under half closed lids he felt a sudden pang at his hitherto impregnable heart. Janet Norton was a lovely and desirable girl.

"I don't dislike you, Gregory," said Janet in a softened tone, "only somehow—you won't be angry if I tell you?"

"I want to know the reason why," replied Gregory doggedly

"You remember the time you were afraid of our old red cow?" asked Janet, and as he nodded she continued, "I can't help it, Gregory, and I know I'm small and mean, but somehow I always connect you with running away from something."

"A coward—that is your opinion of me?" he asked in a repressed tone.

She bent her head. "I am very sorry, Gregory, if I have hurt your feelings. I ought not to have told you."

"Glad you did," said Gregory curtly. "Goodby." And without another word he left the house

Janet, left alone, watched him swinging down the path, and a new found terror took possession of her. "Oh, why did I say it to him? He looks different today. I shall hate to go to the circus with Dan after treating Gregory so."

But she went, as did Gregory Barton. He sat not far away from where Janet sat beside Dan Leeson. By slightly turning his head he could see the pale pink of her dress and the fair oval of her face framed beneath the fluffy white hat His heart contracted as he thought of what she had said. So he was a coward in her sight because of that little childish episode of many years ago! He was glad that she had refused to come to the circus with him.

"Afraid if anything happened that I'd run away and leave her," he told himself grimly.

Janet saw Gregory, and the sight of him added the finishing touch to her unpleasant evening. She hated herself for her meanness in recollecting the affair of the red cow and despised herself for recalling it to Gregory's mind. For all she knew he might be the bravest and the biggest man in the world That childish fear might easily be accounted for She watched him furtively and longed to tell him that she was sorry for what she had said, and she hoped he would know that she was having a horrid time in spite of the brilliant performance that was being enacted in the ring before her eyes.

The lion tamer was driving before him the solitary huge king of the forest, which was the last of a once formidable troupe of performing lions

The whip cracked, the lion jumped; the whip cracked again, the lion lay as one dead Once more the whip cracked flicked the beast on one sensitive eyeball, and the enraged animal turned on his trainer The man dodged and vanished, and with a roar of pain and anger the lion leaped over the railing and into the sawdust of the track.

Amid a pandemonium of screams and yells the crowd broke into a mad struggle to escape The lion crouched in the sawdust, and his haunches quivered for the spring

Gregory Barton had stood up the instant the trainer disappeared His first thought had been for Janet Norton. He turned and saw her standing, white and rigid with terror, while Dan Leeson's broad back could be discerned in the van of the disappearing crowd

The lion was regarding her pink figure with blazing eyes. That was his objective point There was his victim.

While the long tawny body quivered for the spring, while the full lashed the track, Gregory leaped forward and snatched Janet into his arms, whirling her about so that he stood in her place

"Run, run, while you can!" he commanded fiercely

"No, no, no; you mustn't! I shan't have you!" she was crying as she resisted his thrusting arms

The yellow body arose and shot through the air Mercifully it fell short and went crashing among the tumbled benches While it yet bellowed forth its rage and ere it could extricate itself from the debris it had created something whistled through the air and settled around the maned neck Then with a fierce yell the "wild westerner" who had lassoed the escaped lion rode his trick performing broncho around the track, dragging the king of beasts ignominiously in his train.

"Oh, Gregory, Gregory!" Janet was sobbing "What have I said to you—you a coward? Why, you are the bravest man I ever knew!"

"That's all right; that's all right." Gregory was patting her shoulder comfortably, but his eyes shone with a triumphant light "Nothing very brave about that. The circus people always manage to catch 'em before they do much damage"

"Then why did you try to save me?" asked Janet quickly, and she laughed at Gregory's confusion

Just then Dan Leeson strolled up, looking rather crestfallen. At sight of Gregory his neck stiffened. "Where were you, Janet?" he asked complainingly. "I told you to follow me, and when I looked around"—

"I was just where you left me when you ran away," said Janet sharply. "Are you ready to take me home, Gregory?" she asked that dazed young man

"Yes," said Gregory happily.

When they parted at Janet's gate the girl said earnestly: "I hope you will forget what I said the other morning, Gregory, about always thinking of you as running away from the red cow I shall always think of you as protecting me from the lion"

"I don't care much what you think of me so long as you think of me sometimes" said Gregory boldly

Janet's eyes sent back a brief, dazzling answer which was as much a revelation to herself as to the hero at the gate. Then she ran into the house.

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Frankfort is a bartender for John O Connell, proprietor of the Erie hotel cafe, while Geiger owns the saloon at the intersection of Main street and the Erie railroad. Both men were arrested on November 18 for violating the Sunday closing laws, and later convicted in the mayor's court.

The cases were taken to the court of common pleas on error, and heard yesterday before Judge Mathers of Sidney. City Solicitor Jackson represented the city.

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But the brewing at home is messy and out-of-date Nowadays skilled chemists do this better than ourselves. By asking at any drug store for the ready-to-use product—called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" you will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Some druggists make their own, which is usually too sticky, so insist upon getting Wyeth's, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says his customers insist on Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because, they say, it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use too. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. Do this at night and by morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant. H. F. Vortkamp.

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THE WEATHER.

Columbus, O., March 22.—Forecast for Ohio:

Fair tonight followed by increasing cloudiness Sunday; rising temperature.

DURBIN'S REFUSAL OF A POSITION.

It is quite a singular occurrence in these days of high cost of living and keen competition for positions, for jobs to be running after men. If it was just a two-by-four position with an unattractive salary attached the race of job after man would not be out of the ordinary. But every one will agree that it is quite remarkable to see a man refuse a real $6,000 a year position, that would take the holder of it down to the federal capital and put him in the front rank of the notable assemblage of officers there.

The above observations were made to accentuate the oft repeated assertion that great merit and ability is found in a man when responsible positions go to him unsolicited.

W. W. Durbin, of Kenton, is the man who is responsible for the singular spectacle of a lucrative position chasing after a man. Not long ago the report was sent out from Washington, that a position as assistant post master general had been offered to the Kenton democratic war horse. Although this is one of the plums of the new federal administration that is eagerly sought after, it did not appeal to Mr. Durbin.

When Durbin went to Washington last week, Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan offered him a responsible position in the department. The offering of the place was not a singular occurrence, but the refusal of the offer was out of the ordinary.

Why did Mr. Bryan thus honor the Kenton man? Because in 17 years of terrific battling for high ideals in governmental affairs the Nebraskan had seen the mettle of the Kenton man tested many times, and he had always found it strong and true for the great policies he was advocating. There has been no break in the tie between the two since that memorable campaign in 1896, when as chairman of Mr. Bryan's Ohio campaign committee, Durbin conducted the battle with such adroitness and skill, that it required a golden stream of money from Wall street and a formidable brigade of Mark Hanna's best orators to stem the tide toward the democratic presidential candidate.

Contrary to the plans of 99 out of every 100 democrats who go to Washington, Durbin went there to get places, if possible, for friends. If they are taken care of, he will be satisfied to remain in Kenton and let the other fellows have the $5,000 and $6,000 jobs in Washington.

Congress has been called for an extra session commencing April 7th and the immediate purpose of the session is to correct the abuses and unequalities in the present existing tariff laws. It is not expected that the session will be a long one. The advocates of tariff reform have been for months working upon the measure for correcting the evils of the system and they will push the work along with vigor.

In an editorial upon the subject under the heading "Tariff and Ethics" a Boston paper says:

"The proclamation summoning the congress of the United States to a special session convening on April 7 refers to "public interests" as justifying the call. Primarily the motive is the framing and enactment of a new tariff law. Incidentally other major and minor matters will be dealt with, what is inevitable under conditions where control over legislation does not rest with the executive. An American congress may be steered, but it cannot be confined. In the message which President Wilson will send to the law-making body which his party controls, he will give that specific quality to his counsels that some of his critics have affected to miss in his inaugural and in his speeches as a candidate. But it is clear enough, from what he already has said and from such a deliverance as Secretary Redfield of the department of commerce has just made in a Sunday talk in a New Jersey church, that the problem of national indirect taxation is to be dealt with less as an economic and more as an ethical issue than it has been of late. The moral effects of privilege conferred upon a producing class, both upon the class itself and upon those without its "protected" ranks, are to be faced, and less is to be said about the effect of the policy upon the national balance sheet measured in terms of dollars and cents.

"There is much to be added for "protection." The point is that the summons for debate and action from the administration just inaugurated is to come with insistence on phases of the matter that never should have been obscured. Taxation can become an instrument of tyranny in a democracy as well as in an autocracy. A privileged class of manufacturers or farmers is as susceptible to selfish class temptations as a landed aristocracy. Some systems of gaining revenue for governments make duplicity and evasion easy, and some make them more difficult. Some systems enable the taxpayer to see his dollar spent for social ends with a maximum of effect, and some with a minimum. Some are so simple as to be almost automatic in their efficiency, and some are so complex as to play directly into the hands of the crafty citizen evader and the venal tax collector.

"A debate on the issue of national revenue sources that keeps on the level of these and other aspects of taxation and forgets for a season some of the sordid "full-dinner-pail" arguments will do the country much good, even if, at the last, the new tariff measure is found to be in principle, if not in detail, much like the present law. That federal taxation hereafter will include more direct methods of getting revenue than in the past is clear; but the indirect system is deeply entrenched in custom and in sentiment. If it faces now a new appraisal of its merits and demerits there is no one to blame but its own partizans."

TRIBUTE TO OHIO.

The following tribute to the Buckeye state was published in the Cincinnati Enquirer of Thursday and the sentiment expressed in it meets the approval of every native-born Ohioan:

"Ohio's prominence among the states and conspicuity in the politics of the country since taking on a considerable share of the maternity of our presidents may possibly have diverted the range of vision of the average student of our country's progress from her substantial greatness in production for the wealth of the country and the world.

"Now that we have been given a seat in national affairs a little back of that we occupied many years, we of Ohio may devote a little more attention to the facts of our really material greatness among the states. In the matter of agriculture, for instance, while Missouri has, since the last report upon comparisons, taken our former fourth place, we are still first of the leading states of the country. It speaks distinctly well for the soil and the farming of Ohio that, with a smaller area than any of the four states leading us, we should still be fifth in the list of the 12 crops included in our government reports—corn, wheat, oats, rye, buckwheat, flaxseed, rice, potatoes, hay, tobacco and cotton—and when we consider that in rice and cotton we do not figure.

"Then we must bear in mind the drains that have been made upon our soil during the greater number of years of a considerable population, and in which Ohio has produced for many more coming and passing millions than other states since we led the van among the states of the prairies that drove from their savannas the great herds of the buffalo to give pasturage for the cattle. Indeed, we may highly felicitate this central state of the Ohio Valley when we think that we have not yet reached the period of intensive farming that our splendid soil continues to produce as it does after more than a century of drain upon much of it.

"Here are some figures of considerable interest as to these five leading states, in which we find Ohio the smallest in area: Texas, 265,780 square miles, $497,160,000 in crops; Illinois, 56,650, $289,326,000; Iowa, 56,025, $284,395,000; Missouri, 69,415, $196,968,000; Ohio, 41,060, $190,718,000.

"A coincidence worthy of note is the fact that Ohio is also rated fifth in manufactures, being led by New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Massachusetts in that order and making a showing of $1,437,936,000 in a total of about twenty billions of one year."

MEMORY OF OHIO'S SONS VENERATED

TIME CANNOT EFFACE DEEDS OF BRAVE BOYS

Who Fought, Bled and Died That the Union Might be Preserved

IN AWFUL CONFLICT FIFTY YEARS AGO

Chattanooga Makes Elaborate Plans to Commemorate Battles.

Mammoth Reunion Will be Held on the Eve of National Memorial Day.

Between the city of Chattanooga and Missionary Ridge, rises a beautiful knoll occupied by the National cemetery, where are buried fourteen thousand federal soldiers. Nearer the bank of the river rises the Confederate monument, around which sleep the dead of that army, about seven thousand.

The National cemetery is cared for by the national government, and the Confederate cemetery by an association of ladies.—Editor's Note.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 22.—The following statistics show how widespread the interest ought to be in the battlefields of Chickamauga and Chattanooga. The reunion here May 27-29 is expected to bring people from at least half the states of the union, attracted hither by the fact that their men contended against each other in these sanguinary fields.

All authorities agree that the percentage of loss at Chickamauga exceeded the percentage of any other battle of history, American and foreign. Gen. John B. Gordon, one of the most gifted and accurate survivors of the struggle, after examining statistics from all great battlefields, wrote in his reminiscences of the war that Chickamauga exceeded them all. An American battlefield, as he says, that has the highest percentage of loss in the history of battles, ought to be better understood by the American people. In fact, it ought to be a shrine at which all who respect American valor should worship.

Taking Chickamauga as the high water mark in the fighting around Chattanooga, and examining the strength of the forces without any relation to section, it appears that there were a total of 457 organizations in that battle, divided as follows: Federals, 188; Confederates, 169. The federal organizations contained in the aggregate more men than the confederate organizations. However, there is a controversy on this point that will do no good to reopen. In numbers it may be said that the forces were about the same, but in equipment the federals were far better supplied than their antagonists. The losses in killed, wounded and missing at the battle of Chickamauga were in round numbers 33,000, the federal loss being some 800 in excess of the confederate. The contending forces came from practically the same states that appear in the roster of the battle of Chattanooga. That is to say, they were from the following states: Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas and Virginia.

Two Months Later.

The southern states and Missouri had 285 different organizations in the battle of Chattanooga, two months after the Chickamauga massacre. Of this number 256 were confederates and 29 federals. The confederate organizations came from the following southern states: Alabama, 48; Arkansas, 13; Florida, 7; Georgia, 32; Kentucky, 7; Louisiana, 11; Mississippi, 24; Missouri, 2; North Carolina, 2; South Carolina, 16; Tennessee, 54; Virginia, 7.

The union organizations from the south were as follows: Kentucky, 11; Missouri, 17; Tennessee, 1. In addition to these organizations from the south, the union forces were supplied as follows: Illinois, 54 organizations; Indiana, 39; Iowa, 11; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 9; Kansas, 1; Minnesota, 3; New Jersey, 1; New York, 17; Ohio, 73; Pennsylvania, 12; West Virginia, 1; Wisconsin, 14. There were 11 organizations of United States regulars and 2 organizations of C. S. regulars in this engagement.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD but never follows the use of Foleys' Honey and Tar Compound. It stops the cough, heals the sore and inflamed air passages and strengthens the lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package with beehive on carton. Refuse substitutes.

"Get Bridget a rest." Serve AMSTERDAM COOKIES. At your grocer's.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Political Equality club at Business Women's club, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

MANY GOOD BILLS PASS

Busy Session of Ohio Legislature to End on April 4th.

PROTESTS CHECKED SOME LEGISLATION

Tax Bill and Public Utility Bill Brought Out Many Objections.

Columbus, O., March 22.—If Governor Cox and the administration leaders have their own way the legislature will recess April 4, and adjourn sine die, April 16. This assembly has passed a good many progressive, wholesome laws, and like its predecessors, have passed some that are not so good, but news relative to adjournment of any legislature or even the national congress, is even better than a "letter from home," and it is the hope of all that Governor Cox's plan to have the legislature quit at that time will not be interfered with.

Many Big Bills Yet Pending.

Many big measures are yet pending before the General assembly, and the administration tax bill is yet to be introduced. It was supposed that the Warnes tax bill introduced last week went in with approval of the governor, but it caused a storm of protest from manufacturers and business men general because of its inquisitorial features. The new measure, which will be offered as a substitute in the committee, will omit the inquisitorial features of the Warnes bill and will not likeyl be opposed by the business interests of the state.

Protests to the Governor.

These protests were made to Governor Cox direct, and the governor quieted their fears that the books of private firms and corporations might be inspected and made public to competitors. This provision was so manifestly unfair, that the governor immediately surrendered to the views of the protesting delegation. The Substitute bill will change only the state's form of taxation machinery. Under the proposed bill the governor will appoint bi-partisan taxing boards in all counties having more than 70,000 population. This board will succeed to the taxing authority now exercised by the county auditor and local assessors. In the counties having a population of less than 70,000 the governor will appoint a single taxing commissioner who will succeed to the same duties.

Complaint Board.

Under the provisions of the bill, the secretary of state, auditor of state, treasurer of state, and attorney general are to constitute a board of complaint, and are to hear and pass upon complaints made regarding the valuation placed upon property. This board will supplant the present boards of review. The tax commission is given authority to remove for cause tax commissioners and members of the complaint board. This substitute bill was prepared by Professor O. C. Lockhart of the Ohio State university.

Fight on Utilities Bill.

Corporations are fighting the passage of the Public Utility bill, introduced in the house by Mr. Hills, of Cuyahoga county. A delegation of business men, who waited on Governor Cox yesterday afternoon, pointed out to the governor that the bill as drawn curtailed the powers of the public utilities commission, and practically surrended to muncipalities control over public service corporations, such as gas, electric light, water and street car companies operating within the muncipality.

Mayor N. D. Baker, of Cleveland, objected to the introduction of any utilities bill, which in the least interfered with the rights of municipalities to control public service corporations within the municipality. This section was prepared by Mr. Baker and is so drawn that it even exceeds Baker's fondest hopes of a compromise. It is said that the effect of the bill will be to curtail rather than enlarge the powers of the utilities commission, and limit their authority insofar as any actual regulatory power is concerned to steam railroads, telephone companies, express companies, sleeping car companies, and other corporations doing an interstate business.

Governor Cox has shown a disposition to listen to complaints regarding the big measure, affecting the business interests of the state. He wants to be and intended to be progressive, but he does not want to be radical or do anything that will do violence to the business interests of the state, and there is a probability that the more radical provisions of this bill may be toned down some.

Liquor License Bill Postponed.

Action on the liquor license bill, which is now in the hands of the house committee on liquor traffic, has been deferred to some time in the coming week. It was thought that after it had passed the senate that it would be rushed through the house, but Chairman Smith Welsh is authority for the statement that the bill will not be reported out until some time during the coming week.

Regarding Franchise Rights.

The house has passed the Bigelow bill, which abolishes the consent of the property owners to the right of way for a traction line. It exempts roads and turnpikes outside of a municipality. Duffey, of Lucas, secured the adoption of an amendment which requires the consent of property owners, where the tracts are to be laid at the side rather than the center of the street or road. This was to meet a situation in Toledo, but of course applies generally.

The Wise bill annulling the franchise of the Northern Ohio Traction and Light company between Canton and Massillon has been recommended for passage and will probably be enacted into law. It is understood the matter will be carried into the courts.

General Appropriation Bill Passes.

The general appropriation bill has passed the house and is now in the hands of the senate finance committee. The bill carries a total of $6,400,000 and this added to appropriations that have gone before makes a total in excess of $10,000,000. The legislature will have to meet the necessity next to take care of appropriations for the fiscal year 1914, the bills passed at this session taking care of the present fiscal year only.

Agriculture Bill Passes.

The senate has passed the Agriculture Commission bill, which consolidates the duties now exercised by the various state boards and departments having to do with agriculture and the interests of the farmer generally and imposes the duties upon members of this commission. The bill passed without material amendment. It provides for the appointment of a commission of three members, to serve for terms of six years, and to be paid annual salaries of $5,000 each. Senator Cunningham, author of the bill, claims that the concentration of these duties in a single commission will save the state $75,000 annually.

Big Road Bill Goes Through.

The house has passed the Hite road bill. It levies a tax of one half mill for road purposes, and it estimated that the levy will probably draw a total of $3,600,000. It is to be distributed among the 88 counties, each to receive $27,000 on condition that the county raises a similar amount. This tax is to be independent of the Smith law one per cent limit. The half mill levy is not to be limited or restricted or decreased by any existing law. Under the Hite bill, 25 per cent of the tax will be spent on the main market roads.

Foley Kidney Pills will reach your individual case if you have any form of kidney or bladder trouble, any backache, rheumatism, uric acid poisoning or irregular and painful kidney action. They are strengthening, tonic and curative, and contain no habit forming drugs.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our many neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, and also for the flowers and Rev. Howey for his kind words, and the choir of the Epworth church.

Benjamin Antrim, Mr. and Mrs. John Detrick and family, James and Charles Antrim.

A COLD, LA GRIPPE, THEN PNEUMONIA

Is too often the fatal sequence. La Grippe coughs hang on, weaken the system, and lower the vital resistence. R. G. Collins, postmaster, Barnegat, N. J., says: "I was troubled with a severe La Grippe cough which completely exhausted me. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound soon stopped the coughing spells entirely. It can't be beat."

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Hokara is entirely different from ordinary preparations, as it contains no grease, lead or mercury, is antiseptic and healing, and possesses curative properties that exert a remarkable and quick action on any form of skin blemish or trouble, no matter how severe.

A good way to test Hokara is to wash the face or hands thoroughly, then apply a little Hokara to the face or hands and rub until it rolls out. The amount of dead black skin and dirt that come out will make you thnik your skin was never clean before.

People who have had skin troubles for thirty years have found almost instant relief and complete cure in Hokara.

Liberal jar for 25c. Larger sizes 50c and $1.00.

Sold on guarantee and recommended by the Melville Drug company, local agents.

NEW KING OF GREECE HAS WON HIGH RESPECT

Through Many Hard Experiences Constantine Showed Fine Qualities.

Like his father, Constantine, who succeeded King George of Greece, has had his ups and downs in the favor of the people he is to rule and has grown acquainted with the quick changes, likes and dislikes of his subjects. He is now forty-five years old.

King Constantine was born in Athens and received his early education from foreign tutors, who taught him to speak German, English, French, Latin and Danish. At the age of eighteen he was graduated from the military academy with the rank of second lieutenant in the army.

He was then sent to Germany, France and Denmark, attending the military maneuvers in each country and acquiring practical knowledge about their armies.

Saw War Was Coming.

When the crown prince in 1896 saw his country drifting into war with Turkey he warned the war department at Athens that the army was utterly unprepared for a campaign. The infantry was armed with condemned French rifles which had cost $2 each. The cartridges were fifteen years old. There was no cavalry. The artillery was obsolete and its officers few. There had been insufficient drill. Nevertheless the country decided upon war. The result was disastrous—a humiliating defeat for Greece. Immediately the popular tide turned against its rulers, whom it denounced as foreigners who could have little in common with the Greeks. The king and queen were hooted in the streets, and the officers turned their backs upon the crown prince.

A similar spirit was roused against the royal house when in 1909 King George tried to oppose the popular clamor for the annexation of Crete, knowing that Turkey was eagerly awaiting such an excuse to bring a second crushing defeat upon Greece. This time the clamor almost became a revolt, and the king was obliged to yield to the demand of the Military league, both for a reorganization of the army and for the dismissal of the crown prince as generalissimo and of his brothers from active commands in the army and navy.

The crown prince left Athens. But two weeks after he had issued orders

KING GEORGE (AT TOP) AND HIS SUCCESSOR, KING CONSTANTINE.

for the removal of his belongings from Athens to St. Petersburg, where he was to accept a command in the army of the czar, the tide turned again, and he was notified by his father to come back. Three months later Constantine returned to Greece on the invitation of the national assembly.

Restored as Head of Army.

He was restored to his former dignities and after having undergone a severe trial was restored to the command of the army, with added prestige and influence. At the outbreak of the present war in the Balkans he led the advancing Greek forces and captured the city of Saloniki from the Turks. With a force of 10,000 Greeks he caused 25,000 Turks to lay down their arms. His popularity from that time has been tremendous throughout Greece.

It is said that Constantine aims to restore the former grandeur of the ancient Hellenic empire and that he is a believer in the old national prophecy that under the reign of a Constantine and a Sophia the eastern empire shall be called into life again and the cross restored on St. Sophia in place of the crescent.

Prince Constantine, like his father and his brother, Prince George, is of herculean stature, more than six feet tall and magnificently proportioned. He has three children, Alexander, George and Helen.

Best Known Cough Remedy.

For forty-three years Dr. King's New Discovery has been known throughout the world as the most reliable cough remedy. Over three million bottles were used last year. Isn't this proof? It will get rid of your cough, or we will refund your money. J. J. Owens, of Allendale, S. C., writes the way hundreds of others have done: "After twenty years, I find that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds and all throat and lung troubles. It has no equal. See and $1.00 at H. F. Vortkamp's.

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A Roit of Color In Summer Gowns

ew Three-Quarter Sleeves Replacing Long, Tight Sleeves in Coats

ew York, March 21—The task of casting fashions is quite as much business as any other legitimate . It would seem to the uninitiated that pandemonium must prevail in a great fashion center where s and ideas are created. But no discord exists. Paris has been many years and still remains world's recognized fashion center. From there emaanate all the which are adopted the world . Sometimes the adoption is , sometimes speedy. New York the new Parisian ideas introed in two or three months after are put on the market. Places

e remote from style centers pt them more slowly. The august ds of the individual ateliers meet enter into mutual consultation agreement as to what period be the source of their inspiran, whether Directoire, Victorian, abethan, or the moyen age; ether they will follow the somber or scheme of the Occident or the tints and shades of the Orient. t now we are interested in Orital colorings and Directoire lines. ving settled on the general trend, each designer is free to follow the trend of his own fancy in working out various details and modifications of the scheme. It is thus that fasuions are created. The hodgepodge of color which now prevails may be attributed to the hostilities of southern Europe, as on this section in which Nature has been so lavish of her coloring, the attention of the world has been riveted for many months; as an outcome, Bulgarian colorings run riot in many of the new fabrics. Very effective is the frock of the illustration, with border in shades of blue, pink, green and yellow. It was made of voile-cream ground, covered with blue circular motifs. The gaily-hued border extends from the throat to the hem of the skirt. The waist has the fashionable dropped-shoulder and front-blouse effect. The lower sections of the sleeves are of eyelet embroidery. The insert at the hem is also of eyelet.

That the season is to be one of brilliant color is now assured. Gone are the somber tones of black and brown, and in their places have appeared all the tints of the rainbow. To be sure, women of conservative taste who, for years, have been wedded to the black gown of silk or satin for "best" will retain it. But the women who cater to popular fancy, and follow religiously the mandates of fashion, will appear in festive tones of blue, pink, geranium and cerise, either with the color scheme of the garment itself serving as trimming or appearing beneath the surface as lining. The new brocades and variously tinted silks are being extensively used for this last-named purpose. Wraps, for both day and evening disclose at every possible opportunity foundations of prismatic colorings, either in plaid, in brocade, or in moire effects. From the remote East have come brocades of gold and silver, and from the Chinese a fanfare of yellow. The Elizabethan era has lent her ruffs and ruches for our adaptation. For spring wear with smart jackets in Russian and Balkan styles, and with one-piece frocks of silk and wool, these will be very popular. They are made of ribbon and lace, either shirred or pleated. A band of fur, with a pleated lace flounce on either side, and caught in front with a small bunch of rosebuds, is very effective.

Many of these extend over the hair in the back in true Elizabethan style, gradually tapering to a point in front. These may be readily fashioned at home, and impart a finish and smartness to the costume otherwise unattainable. That America leads the world of fashion, both in simple two-piece and elaborate three-piece tailored suits of artistic design, is now assured. No one longer refuses her the honor of supremacy. Spring has brought many styles of jackets and coats which have been mentioned in previous letters. A departure from established lines is now noticeable in the sleeves. A sleeve three-quarter length, and fashioned on the line of a man's coat sleeve, promises to support a long close-fitting sleeve. The sleeve is set in the regulation armhole. The change, however, has not affected the sleeve of waist or dress. It remains the same. Among fashionable materials for the coat suits matelasse, a cloth of wool or silk, having a raised pattern on the surface as though quilted or wadded, will be much in demand. This fabric made its initial appearance last season, meeting with such acceptance that the supply was not equal to the demand. In the year's interval it has undergone some change, and may now be had in plain ground with raised design; also in Ottoman, faille, crepe and serge ground, with raised motif.

The jacket pictured in the second figure is of this material in crepe ground, of cerise shade, with blue and green floral motifs. Collar and chemisette and the hat worn with the gown are of eyelet embroidery. The skirt is of blue crepe. A girdle of Gobelin blue messaline, tied loosely about the waist, finishes the costume. Recently some space has been

given to describing the new girdle: a word about collars may also be apropos, as such accessories go far toward making the success of a costume. There is much liberty of choice in neck garniture. As a general thing, the high collar is much less popular than the open neck. Even in street gowns, the open neck prevails. This may be round, square or V-shaped. From these open necks almost every conceivable style of the flat collar falls away—wide collars of embroidered linen or of Bulgarian silk embroidery, completely covering the shoulders, round collars of lace, lying in careless fould, high Medici collars of lace, collars which continue into revers, one end extending to the waist. One collar, after encircling the neck, hangs like a stole over the left side of the front.

Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

Wondrous Strength of Love.

There is a comfort in the strength of love.—Wordsworth.

New Third Assistant Postmaster General

Alexander M. Dockery, former governor of Missouri, has been appointed third assistant postmaster general. Mr. Dockery supported Champ Clark for the democratic nomination last spring, and his appointment is considered an indication that the president cherishes no animosity for the defeated "Houn'-Dawg" candidate.

SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT

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Woman Given High Position.

In Switzerland a woman has been appointed to the chief inspectorship of factories, a coveted position hitherto held only by men. This appointment is the outcome of a special commission which met to inquire into factory conditions of the various cantons. Owing to the great increase of women in industrial life the desirability of a woman as chief inspector was unanimously agreed upon by the commission.

Two Paragraphs of Truth.

The woman with a past is generally a woman angry about the past she never had. Birds of a feather flock together, but birds of the white feather most of all.—"A Miscellany of Men," by G. K. Chesterton.

C., H. & D. RY.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 8.	Daily	2:15 a. m.
No. 2	Daily	7.10 a. m.
No. 6.	Daily	12:09 noon
No. 4	Daily	4:39 p. m.
No. 10	Daily, runs to Lima only	9:20 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 7	Daily	2:55 a. m.
No. 11	Daily	5:25 a. m.
No. 1	Daily	8:50 a. m.
No. 5	Daily	12:15 p. m.
No. 3	Daily	3.53 p. m.

L. E. & W. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

No. 18	Daily Ex. Sunday	6:50 a. m.
No. 4	Daily Ex. Sunday	12:40 p. m.
No. 2	Daily	5:35 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 1	Daily	9:25 a. m.
No. 3	Daily Ex. Sunday	4:00 p. m.
No. 17	Daily Ex. Sunday, runs to Lima only,	9:05 p. m.

P., F. W. & C. R. R.

EAST BOUND.

*No. 24		1:14 a. m.
*No. 26		1:25 a. m.
*No. 6		7:06 a. m.
*No. 18		8:25 a. m.
*No. 16		1:27 a. m.
xNo. 52		1:56 p. m.
No. 22	All Pullman	3:22 p. m.
*No. 8		9:30 p. m.
*No . 2		10:29 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

*No. 25		2:02 a. m.
xNo. 39		9:15 a. m.
*No. 23		8:57 a. m.
*No. 21		10:30 a. m.
*No. 9		2:39 p. m.
*No. 19		2:52 p. m.
*No. 11		7:01 p. m.

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EAST BOUND.

No. 8	Daily, N. Y. Ex.	5:40 a. m.
No. 232	Daily Ex. Sunday	8:00 a. m.
No. 226	Daily Ex. Sunday	3:15 p. m.
No. 4	Daily, N. Y. Lim.	5:00 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 7	Daily Chicago Ex.	1:40 a. m.
No. 227	Daily Ex. Sunday	9:20 a. m.
No. 3	Daily Chicago Lim.	11:57 a. m.
No. 233	Daily Ex. Sunday	7:20 p. m.

D., T. & I. R. R.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 2 ..... 12:05 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1 ..... 3:35 p. m.

Both daily except Sunday.

PROBATE NOTICE.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss:

To whom it May Concern: Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of the Probate Judge by executors of the wills of the following deceased persons:

10,286—Second and final account of Robert P. Jones as executor of the will of Evan Thomas, deceased.

And by administrators of the estates of the following deceased persons:

5490—First and final account of Joseph Purtscher as administrator with the will annexed of Christian Purtscher, deceased.

9998—First, final and distributive account of Sarah R. Spyker as administratrix de bonis non with will annexed of Robert Lamberton, deceased.

10,596—First and final account of Joseph W. Askins as administrator of the estate of J. J. Worley, deceased.

10,786—First partial account of Norton Sager as administrator of the estate of Anthony Fuerst, deceased.

And by guardians and trustees of the following persons:

9010—Fourth and final account of Violet E. Sands as guardian of Helen M. Sands, a minor.

9092—First and final account of Cloyd J. Brotherton as guardian of Harry R. Fisher, a minor.

9702—First and final account of Joseph E. Wilson as guardian of Opal Wilson, a minor.

10,154—Second current account of Mary C. Brady as guardian of Anna B. Miller, an imbecile.

10,357—First current account of Charles M. Duggan as guardian of Joseph Duggan, a minor.

10,450—First current account of George B. Deemer as trustee of Charles L. Kanawl, cestui que trust.

10,533—First and final account of Zillorah A. Crosson as guardian of Columbia Crosson, an imbecile.

All persons interested in any way whatever in said accounts or trusts will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on Monday the 7th day of April A. D., 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts or trusts and the same will be heard on that date or at such other time as the court may designate.

FRED C. BECKER,
Probate Judge.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Louis Hann, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 20th day of January, 1913, Susie Hann filed her petition against said Louis Hann in the Court of the Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, for divorce, being case No. 15378, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty.

Said case will be for hearing on and after the 21st day of April, A. D. 1913.

SUSIE HANN,
By John H. Klatte, her Att'y.
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Mary Chilton

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Tradition states that after a long and tedious voyage the Mayflower dropped anchor in Plymouth bay. A few days later the boat was lowered and the Pilgrims were carried to the shore. In the first boat was bright-eyed, light-hearted Mary Chilton, who in spite of the deprivations and inconveniences of the voyage had remained hopeful, bright and joyous. One thing worthy of notice is that eagerness to be first on the American strand prompted her, like a young heroine, to leap from the boat and wade ashore.

The *"Mary Chilton"* in sterling silver is suggestive of the simple grace and dignity of Colonial times and it is fitting that it should bear the name of the maiden to whom tradition has romantically given the honor of being the first white woman to land on New England soil—MARY CHILTON.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, A. D., 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the east door of the Court House in the City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, the following described real estate, situated in the County of Allen, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:—

Tract No. 1.

Being in-lot number five thousand five hundred and seventy-four (5574) in the City of Lima, located on Bellefontaine avenue, and being a part of the northeast quarter (¼) of section thirty-one (31), township three (3) south, range seven (7) east, in said City, County and State, and being house No. 836 Bellefontaine avenue in said City of Lima, Ohio.

Appraised at $2,834.00.

Tract No. 2.

Also, in-lot number ninety-one (91), (old No. 37) in the Second Addition to the Village of Beaverdam, said County and State aforesaid; also a strip or parcel of land lying on the west side of said lot and adjoining the same, and being twelve (12) feet wide from east to west, and being one hundred and fifty (150) feet long from north to south, being a part of in-lot number ninety-two (92), (old No. 38), in said addition to said Village of Beaverdam, Allen County, Ohio, and being on the north side of Pearl street, west of West street, in said Village of Beaverdam, Ohio.

Appraised at $1,000.00.

Said tracts will be offered separately.

Terms of sale: One-third (1-3) cash, one-third (1-3) in six (6) months and one-third (1-3) in one (1) year from date of sale; deferred payments to be secured by mortgage upon the premises, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent. (6 per cent) from the date of sale.

THOMAS R. HAMILTON,
As Assignee in Trust for the Benefit of the Creditors of Julia A. Reppert.
Dated: February 28, 1913.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Miles-Tighe Contracting Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New Jersey, with chief office at Easton, Pennsylvania, will take notice that the Universal Portland Cement Company, a corporation, organized under the laws of the state of Indiana, with eastern office at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, did on the 13th day of February A. D. 1912, file its petition in the court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio, being case No. 14521, against the said Miles-Tighe Contracting Company, setting forth that the Miles-Tighe Contracting Company was indebted to the said Universal Portland Cement Company in the sum of thirty-nine hundred and forty-three dollars and fifty-eight cents ($3943.58), for cement furnished by the Universal Portland Cement Company to the Miles-Tighe Contracting Company, and at its request. That the said Universal Portland Cement Company prays judgment against the said Miles-Tighe Contracting Company in the sum of thirty-nine hundred forty-three dollars and fifty-eight cents ($3943.58) with interest from February 1st, 1913. That an attachment has been issued in said cause and has been levied upon the personal property of said defendant, being described as,

Eighty-five barrels Universal Cement, one Concrete Mixer, one Stationary Engine, two Hoisting Engines, two Derricks, one Easley Hoisting Outfit, consisting of chute and all the appliances connecting with said plant.

That an order of garnishment has been issued to John B. Lee, Harper Block, Lima, Ohio, and the First National Bank, Lima, Ohio.

Said Miles-Tighe Contracting Company is required to appear in answer to said Petition on or before April 19th, 1913.

Dated February 15, 1913.
UNIVERSAL PORTLAND CEMENT CO.
By Cable & Cable, Att'ys.
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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss: Estate of James Mortimer Jacobs, deceased.

A. M. Harrod has been appointed and qualified as administrator de bonis non of the estate of James Mortimer Jacobs, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 15th day of March, A. D. 1913.

FRED C. BECKER,
Probate Judge.
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THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE.

The cornerstone of the Christian church is laid in the empty grave of Jesus Christ. The resurrection proves the death; the death proves the life, the life the birth of Jesus Christ. Deny the resurrection and it is impossible to account for the existence of Christianity. The resurrection proves our own resurrection. Empty as was the tomb of Jesus on the first Easter morn, so empty shall be all the graves of his people on the last great Easter morn. He is therefore in the largest and fullest sense the resurrection and the life.—Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, New York.

Grace Methodist Episcopal.

Corner Kibby and Elizabeth streets. Hibbard J. Jewett, pastor.

"The Glory of Life's Crowning Changes" will be the subject of the pastor's Easter sermon at 10:30 in the morning. There will be special Easter music by a large chorus choir under the direction of Mr. Chauncey Bogardus.

An Easter entertainment by the Sunday school at 7 o'clock in the evening. Prayer meeting at 7:30 Thursday evening.

German Evangelical Reformed.

Wayne and West streets. Rev. H. C. Schlueter, D. D., pastor.

EASTER MORNING

Lo! the seal of death is breaking!
Angels to the world proclaiming:
"Christ, the Lord, is risen today!"

Divine service at 10 o'clock and Holy Communion. Sermon by the pastor: "The Lord is Risen Indeed." Luke 24:34. Special music by the organist and choir.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Lesson: "The Empty Tomb." Mark 16:1-11.

The Easter program of the Sunday school for the evening service at 7 o'clock is made up of beautiful Easter songs, organ, piano, violin and vocal solos, and addresses and recitations by teachers and scholars.

Strangers and the public in general are cordially invited to these services.

First Congregational.

S. I. Davis, Ph. D., pastor.

Easter Sunday will be observed with special music, the reception of new members, the rite of baptism, the celebration of the Lord's Supper and a special Easter offering. At the close of the day a social hour will be held, and refreshments served. Members and friends are cordially invited to all these services.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., F. A. Bundy, Supt. Divine worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Junior C. E. at 2:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 6:00 p. m. Leader, Miss Mary Josephine Phillips.

Zion Evangelical Lutheran.

North Union street. D. F. Shultz pastor

Sunday school at 9:15. John A. Mohr, Supt.

Divine services for Easter Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Holy Communion services will be administered at the morning service as also the confirmation of the following class: Ruth Haller, Blanche Kauwel, Lucille Ruhlen, Lucille McMillen, Vera Rousculp, Rhea Betters, Pauline Baumann, Richard VonBlon, Carl Klingler, Harry Kortier, Harold Steinle, Robert Mohr, Eli Meckling. An offering will be taken up for the benefit of the board of aids of our synod.

The Men's League will meet Tuesday evening with Mr. Owen Ridenour, 705 east Franklin street.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal.

Southwest corner Market and West streets. M. B. Fuller, pastor

6 a. m., Sunrise prayer meeting. 9:15 a. m., Bible school. A. K. Hall, Supt. Special Easter exercises. 10:30 a. m., "The Easter Message." Easter music by chorus. 3:00 p. m., Men's meeting, Y. M. C. A. 6 p. m., Epworth league. "Birth of a Great Hope." Miss Ehraman, leader. Special rally.

7:00 p. m., musical service. Chorus of 35 voices will render A. R. Gaul's oratorio, "The Holy City." Cordial welcome to all services.

At the morning service the choir will render a chorus and finale from "The Resurrection," a cantata by Mapney. "The Holy City," an oratorio by A. R. Gaul will be rendered at 7 p. m. by a strong chorus of 35 voices. The choruses of this oratorio are massive, beautiful and inspiring. It also contains a number of beautiful solos, the most popular of which are "Eye Hath Not Seen," for contralto, and "A New Heaven and a New Earth," for baritone.

High Street United Brethren.

The pastor, Rev. H. C. Lily, is glad to announce that 63 persons came forward as a result of the revival services which closed Thursday night. We have received something like 30 into church fellowship, and have a class to receive Easter morning. A few special songs and readings are being prepared for the rendering of them at these services as follows:

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:00 a. m. Subject: "The Birth of Christ." The C. E. meeting at 6:15 p. m. Preaching at 7:00 p. m. Subject: "The Resurrection."

While we have no regular program, yet we are going to have the children sing both morning and evening. Come one and all bringing your friends.

Church of the Brethren.

East Elm street. S. P. Early, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30. Subject: "It is Finished." In the evening at 7:00 o'clock, the two young people's classes of the Sunday school will give an Easter program. All are cordially invited.

First Christian.

A beautiful Easter cantata will be sung by the choir of the First Christian church, West and Elm streets Sunday evening at 7 o'clock, to which the public is invited. Mr. R. B. Mikesell, leader of the choir, will be in charge and Mrs. Mikesell will be at the organ. The following numbers will make up the program.

"The Resurrection Hope" ..... Carrie B. Adams
Introduction
"Sing With All the Sons of Glory" ..... Chorus
"All Around the Clouds are Breaking" .....
Mr. Jones, Miss Leatherman, choir
Soprano and Tenor Duet—"A Vision of Angels" .....
Miss Sands and Mr. Mikesell
"Angels, Roll the Rock Away"
Mr. Jones, Women's Chorus and Choir.
Quartette—"The Day of Resurrection" .....
Miss Letherman, Mrs. Hefner, Mr. English and Mr. Jones
Baritone solo—"Awake! Glad Soul, Awake" .....
Mr. Alfred Shumate
"But I Know" .....
Miss Leatherman, Mr. English and Quartette
"Christ the Lord is Risen" .....
Chorus and Quartette
Tenor Solo and Duet—"The Shade and Gloom of Life are Fled" ...
Mr. Mikesell and Mr. Shumate
"My Flesh Shall Rest in Hope" .....
..... Chorale
Contralto Solo—"The Name of Jesus" .....
Mrs. Hefner
"I am the Resurrection and the Life" ..... Final Chorus
Mr. Shumate and Choir

First Baptist.

The choir of the First Baptist church, Mr. Richard Shappell, leader, assisted by Mrs. Melvin Light, soprano, Mr. Ernest C. Baird, tenor, and Mr. G. A. Lehmann, baritone, of Bluffton, will present an Easter musical program of rare beauty, both Easter morn and eve, at the First Baptist church, High and McDonald streets. The musical services will reach a glorious climax in the cantata to be sung in the evening. A cordial welcome is extended to these services. The following is the complete program:

MORNING

Prelude "Resurrection Morn" ..... Johnston
Miss Rae Heffner
Easter Carol Processional .....
Children's Chorus Choir
Doxology
Invocation Response by choir—"Gloria Tibe" .....
Scripture Lesson
Hymn 147
Prayer Response by choir "Holy, Holy, Holy" ..... Sherwin
Easter Carol—"The Buds at Easter Spring" ..... Bartlett
Children's Choir
Offertory "Meditation" Trysinger
Anthem "Lift Up Your Glad Voices" ..... Berwald
Sermon Subject, "The Value of Easter Day"
Anthem "Easter Morn" ..... Brewer
Solos by Mr. G. A. Lehmann and Mrs. Melvin Light
Benediction
Postlude "Jubilate Deo" ..... Silver

EVENING

Prelude "Grand Offertorre in D" ..... Batiste
Scripture Lesson
Prayer
Baptismal Service
Offertory "Prayer and Lullaby" ..... Guilmant
Easter Cantata "Song of Hope" ..... Protheroe
"I Wait for the Lord" ..... Chorus
Soprano Solo—"Out of the Depths" ..... Mrs. Meily
Righteous Art Thou ..... Chorus
Tenor Solo—"The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee" Mr. E. C. Baird
"I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes" ..... Chorus
Baritone Solo "Fear Not Ye" ..... Mr. G. A. Lehmann
Duet—"I Have Longed for Thy Salvation" Mrs. Meily, Mr. Baird
"Oh, That Men Would Praise the Lord" ..... Chorus
Sermon—Subject, "Hope's Immortal Haven"
Benediction
Postlude—"Marcia Triumphal" ..... Derhayes

Market Street Presbyterian

Corner of West and Market streets. Thomas Knox, minister

Morning sermon at 10:45. Subject "All Hail!" Vesper service at 4:30. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00. Sunday school at 9:15.

"The Message of Light," a concert program combining the celebration of Easter and the Livingstone centenary, will be given in the Sunday school at 9:15, by the Sunday school. The church choir will sing the hymn sung at Livingstone's funeral. The 121st Psalm, read by Livingstone at family prayer on the morning before his departure for Africa, will be read by Mr. Thomas H. Jones. Mrs. McDonald's class will sing "In the Swee' By and By;" in the African language. Livingstone's portrait will be unveiled. The mitebox offering will be received before the service begins, and the contents will go to Home Missions, Foreign Missions and Freed men. All are cordially invited.

Prof. Fred M. Calvert, the able choir director, has arranged for a beautiful vesper service, to be given Easter afternoon at 4 o'clock, to which the public is invited. The following program will be given upon this occasion:

Part One

Prelude—Andante Cantabile ..... Tschaikowsky
Miss Vera Watson, 1st violin; Mr. Curtis, viola; Miss Eysenbach, 2nd violin; Miss Taupkin, cello; Miss Peat, organ
Prayer Rev. Knox
Violin Solo—Aria for G String ..... Bach
Mr. B. Harley Holmes
Duet—Serenade ..... Tilt
Miss Watson, violin; Mr. Laubin, English horn
String Quartette—Intermezzo from Cavalleria Rusticana
Offertory—Andante, Fifth Symphony ..... Beethoven
Miss Watson, Miss Eysenbach, Miss Peat

PART TWO

Cantata—Easter ..... Wilson
Miss Ruth Basden, soprano; R. B. Mikesell, tenor; Mrs. R. O. Woods, contralto; Fred M. Calvert, basso.
Quartette—Silent .....
..... "The Sleeping Town"
Contralto Solo ..... "In the Garden"
Soprano Solo and Quartette .....
..... "Shall Heavy Rock"
Soprano Solo ..... "The Break of Day"
Bass Solo and Trio .....
..... "As It Began to Dawn"
Carol ..... "Our Lord Inded Is Risen"
Tenor Solo and Quartette .. "All Hail"
Benediction.

St. Paul's Lutheran.

The following Easter celebration by St. Paul's Lutheran Bible school will be given Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the church, North and Elizabeth streets:

Easter Voluntary
Processional—(136) "Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain" ...
..... School Orchestra
Opening Versicle
Twenty-third Psalm in concert
Scripture reading: John 20:1-17
Prayer
Hymn (61)—"Mighty God, While Angels Bless Thee"
Recitation—"Easter Lilies" .....
..... Louise Ackerman
Hymn (133)—"The Strife is O'er, the Battle Done"
Scripture Story in Question and Answers ..... Primary School
Song "Easter Flowers are Blooming Bright"
Hymn (140)—"Ye Happy Bells of Easter Day"
Recitation "If I Were a Bell" ..
..... Clifton Reel
Exercise "The Greatest Deeds of Love" ..... Seven Intermediates
Recitation "Where the Easter Lilies Grow" ..... Helen Roof
Hymn (141) "We Will Carol Joyfully"
Song Exercise "Everything is Happy" ..... Six Primary Pupils
Recitation "Glory to Our Risen King" ..... William Wandel
Girls Chorus—"Welcome Happy Morning"
Hymn (137)—"Christ the Lord is Risen Again"
Offerings for special Easter effort
Offertory solo ..... Miss Richards
Exercise "Our Offerings" .....
..... Seven Primary Pupils
Recitation "The Beauty of Our Lord" ..... Grace Fisher
Anthem ..... Choir
Address ..... Mr. Bessire
Recessional (161)—"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

First United Brethren

Easter music will be a significant feature in the services at the First United Brethren church, Spring and Union streets, Sunday, to which the public is made welcome. The morning service will be characterized by both infant and adult baptism, in charge of the pastor Rev. J. B. Hovey. The following program will be observed in the morning:

Organ Prelude—"Springtime" .. Ashford
Coronation
Prayer
Response—Lord's Prayer chanted by Choir
"Hark, Ten Thousand Harps and Voices" ..... Mason
Scripture Reading
Offertory—"Elevation" ..... Wely
Baptismal Service
Duet—"A Vision of Angels" .....
..... Carrie Adams
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barr
Sermon—"Simon Peter's Easter and Ours"
Prayer
"Angels Roll the Rock Away" ....
..... Pleyel
Reception of Members
Benediction
Organ Postlude—March .... Pearson

EVENING

In the evening the choir will render an Easter cantata, "Resurrection Light," by E. L. Ashford, in which the Sunday school orchestra and church soloists will take part. Miss Daisy Spahr will be at the organ; Mrs. Charles H. Barr, musical director. The following numbers make up the program:

Prelude—"Hallelujah" ..... Lewis
Orchestra
Prayer
Opening Chorus—"Cry Aloud"
Soprano Solo—"Behold My Servant, Mine Elect."
Miss May Wert.
Tenor Solo and Chorus—"Hosanna to the Son of David" .....
C. H. Barr and Choir
Soprano Solo and Chorus—"All Glory, Laud and Honor" .....
Mrs. J. B. Bovey and Choir
Solo and Chorus—"Now When the Morning Was Come" .....
Mrs. C. H. Barr and Choir
Bass Solo and Chorus—"O, Love Divine" .....
O. R. Roberts and Choir
Solo, Quartette and Chorus—"As It Began to Dawn" .....
Misses Wert, Allen, Meredith, Donahue, Roberts and Choir
Offertory—Cornet solo .....
..... Miss Wava Kane
Solo—"Awake! Awake" .....
Mrs. C. H. Barr
Finale Chorus—"Christ Our Passover" .....
Benediction
Postlude—"I Love to Tell the Story" ..... Hayes
Orchestra

Choir will furnish cantata librettos to congregation and ask for the loose offering.

Central Church of Christ.

525 west North street. A. B. Houze, pastor.

Bible school at 9:15 a. m. Fred W. Curtis, superintendent. Special program and decision day in the school. Lord's Supper and morning sermon at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon subject: "The Easter Emphasis of Life." Appropriate Easter music by the choir. Vesper service at 4 p. m. Miss Millie Sonntag will direct the chorus, which will be augmented by the addition of a number of voices from outside the city, as well as some of the best musicians in Lima. At 6 p. m., the Junior Christian Endeavor society will give a concert program of merit. The Senior C. E. will hold an Easter prayer service at 8:00 a. m. A welcome to all.

A delightful Easter praise service will be given Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, under the direction of Miss Millie Sonntag, who is in charge of the church choir. Assisting artists from out of the city who will take part will be Mr. Ellis Jones, of Lakeview, Miss Pearl Jackson, of Sandusky, Miss Lydia Berkley, of Ashland, and Mr. G. A. Lehmann, of Bluffton. A silver offering is to be left for the benefit of the church. The following program will be given upon this occasion:

Organ—Humoreske ..... Dvorak
Miss Lucile Ford
Invocation Rev. A. B. Houze
Tenor solo—"Come, See the Place Where Jesus Lay" ..... Parker
Mr. Jones
Anthem—"Lift Up Your Voices Now" ..... Berwald
Soprano Solo—"When Christ Arose" ..... Gabriel
Miss Jackson
Organ Solo—"Eventide Idylle" ..
..... Buck
Miss Berkley
Trio—"Victory" ..... Shelley
Miss Violet Lewis, Mrs. Melvin Light
Miss Lydia Berkley, Miss Vera Neeley, Miss Millie Sonntag,
Miss Minnie Sonntag
Offertory Reverie ..... Lemaige
Miss Ford
Anthem—"As It Began to Dawn" ..... King Miller
Choir
Baritone Solo—"Christ is Risen" ..... Bruno Huhn
Mr. Lehmann
Quartette—"Romance" .... St. Saens
Mrs. Harry McDonald, organ; Mr. Harley Holmes, violin; Mrs. Waldo Berryman, piano; Mr. Fred Crum, cello.
Benediction—Rev. A. B. Houze.
Postlude—"March of the Priests" ..... Mendelssohn
Miss Ford

Christian Science.

First Church of Christ, Scientist 2nd floor Masonic building.

Services every Sunday at 10:30. Subject for this Sunday, "Matter." Sunday school at 11:40 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30. Christian Science reading room, same address, open every afternoon except Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00. The public cordially welcome to services and reading room.

Second Church of Christ, Scientist, News Bldg., 121½ east High street.

Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Subject: "Matter." Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 7:45 p. m. Reading room open daily except Sunday from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the church services and visit the reading room.

Calvary Reformed.

Sunday school at 9:15, at which time the Easter service, "Morn of Hope," will be given by pupils of the school. D. R. Cantieny, Supt.

Morning service at 10:30, evening at 7:00. Rev. Good, of Tiffin will be here to conduct both services. Holy Communion will be celebrated at morning service.

Program for Sunday school chorus is as follows:

"Hail! Morn of Hope"
Responsive Reading—Ruth Neubrecht, leader
Chorus—"O, the Blessed Tidings"
Recitation: "The Easter Message" ..... Ethel Isky
Primary Chorus—"'Tis Easter Day"
Recitation—"The Lily's Message" ..
..... Cretora Rex
Solo—"Lilies Sweet and Fair" ...
Clara McCauley
Recitation—"Why I am Happy at Easter" .....
Recitation—"Easter Bells" .....
Marcella Willower
Chorus—"Sing for Joy"
Recitation—"Who Has Broken Your Chains" .....
Mary Lassi, Frank Hackman
Recitation—"Eternal Light" .....
Kathryn Boegle, Ethel Wollett, Olga Sassi
Chorus—"Hail the Victor King"
Recitation—"Thoughts of Spring"
Esther Diehl
Chorus "Christ is Victor"

Morning Service.

Prelude—Melody in F ... Rubenstein
"Holy, Holy, Holy"
Prayer
Hymn
Anthem—"Darkness and Light"
Scripture Lesson
Gloria
Prayer
Solo—"Angels Roll the Rock Away"
Vera Neely
Sermon—Rev. Good
Offertory—Aria Handel's Rinaldo
Anthem—"God So Loved the World"
Holy Communion
Benediction
Postlude—Processional March ....
..... Batiste
Organist—Esther Lynch.

"Squire" Martin to Lecture.

"The Second Coming of Christ" will be the subject of J. P. Martin next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock Memorial hall.

J. P. Martin, of Dayton, Ohio, commonly known as "Squire Martin" is a general favorite among the people of his community. He is a plain, common squire of the "Honest Abe" type; indeed, he is reported to be quite like our beloved Civil war president in his general make-up. Of positive countenance, yet tender heart, his rigid face and firm jaw lighted up nevertheless with a benign expression of sympathy, Squire Martin is a man of the type that our country truly cherishes.

His devotion to God and to his fellow-man has prompted him to a larger service than that of justice of the peace. Believing in the inspiration of the "Good Old Book" and having been a close student of it for years, he believes that he has a message of great import to all desiring to hear him. He gives his services free to the public, and press reports indicate that he has been generally received with great success wherever he has gone.

St. Rose Catholic.

For the 10:30 o'clock high mass Easter morning at St. Rose Catholic church, the following program has been arranged:

Vidi Aquam
Kyrie ..... La Hache
Gloria ..... La Hache
Credo ..... Marzo
Offertory—Ave Maria .. Miss Zender
Accompanists, violin, Tony Zender, cello, Miss Bernadine Taubkin, and the organ.
Sanctus ..... Marzo
Benedictus ..... Marzo
Agnus Dei ..... La Jeal
Soloists—Soprano, Miss Celia Stein, Miss Marguerite Zender, Miss Alice Cunningham; contralto, Miss Theresa Stein; Bass Raymond Simons; tenors, Philip Minaugh and James J. Weadock. Miss Anna Cantwell at the organ.

Spring Street Lutheran

Corner Spring and Pierce streets G. C. Schaub, pastor.

Easter day at the Spring Street Lutheran church will be ushered in by the 6:30 sunrise service in charge of the Luther league.

Sunday school at the regular hour, 9:15. H. A. Slonecker, Supt.

Easter morning service at 10:30. Easter Theme: "He Is Risen." Special music by the choir. Reception of members, confirmation of class and baptism will take place at this service.

Afternoon services at West Cairo at 2:00 o'clock. Welcome to all.

The following program will be rendered by the school at 7:00 o'clock.

Prelude ..... Lucile Burkhardt
"Sing Glad Songs" ..... By School
Invocation ..... Pastor
Gloria Patri ..... School
Responsive Reading .....
"Resurrection Morn" ..... By Choir
Prayer ..... Pastor
Song ..... By the Primary Dept.
"Voices of Nature" ..... By School
"Easter Greeting" ..... By Supt
Song ..... By School
..... By Patrice Fogle
Easter Story .....
Song ..... By School
Recitation ..... By Claude Waltz
Exercise ..... By Mrs. Thasp's Class
Recitation ..... By Raymond Lantz
"Easter Bells" .... By Esther Shaub
"Easter Spirit" By Lorene Burkhardt
Exercise ..... By Primary Dept
Recitation By Lugarda Finicle Class
"Easter Banquet" .....
..... By Blanche Finicle Class
Carol ..... By Gladys Sonntag
Chorus ..... By School
Remarks ..... Pastor
"Easter Prayer" ..... By Choir
Responsive Reading .....
"Joyous Easter Bells" .... By School
Closing Service
Postlude ..... Lucile Burkhardt

St. John's Catholic.

At the 10 o'clock mass at St. John's Catholic church Easter morning the following program of glorious music will be sung by the choir:

Vidi Aquam
Kyria ..... Wiegand
Gloria ..... Wiegand
Credo ..... Wiegand
Sanctus ..... Wiegand
Benediction ..... Wiegand
Agnes Dei ..... Wiegand

Soloists—Soprano, Bertha Falk, and Miss Helen Beck, Alto, Miss Anna Faogin, Mrs. Simon, Miss Beck, Tenor, Max Folk, Jr., and Theo. Siemers. Bass, E. Simons.

Orchestra—Al Kreisel, violin, Miss Marie Simons cornet. Cliff Thomas French horns, W. Crooks and W. Toy trombone, Ed. Fischer violin cello, Fred Krum cloronet, T quintin.

Miss Agnes De Curtins will be at the organ; Mr. Max H. Falk, director.

First Baptist.

High and McDonald streets, Rev. Franklin A. Stiles, minister.

The Sunday school convenes promptly at 9:15, followed by worship and sermon at 10:30. Young People's meeting at 6 o'clock, followed by the evening preaching service.

Extensive preparations have been made for the Easter services this year. The choir has arranged for splendid and appropriate music for all the services. In the morning service the regular choir will be assisted in the musical part of the program by a children's choir of over fifty voices and as this is their first appearance at the regular services many will desire to hear them. The minister will speak upon the subject, "The Value of Easter Day."

The evening service will be inspiring and helpful. At the beginning of the service baptism will be administered which will be followed by a cantata by the choir entitled, "Song of Hope." At the close of the musical part of the program the minister will deliver an Easter message using as his subect, "Hope's Immortal Haven."

The church will be beautifully decorated with Easter lilies and palms.

A most cordial and hearty invitation is extended to all to enjoy these Easter services with us.

The People's Church.

What we mean when we say the People's church, we mean for it to be a Christian service for all the people, whether you are a Christian or not, or whether you belong to church or not, whether you are rich in a worldly view and well dressed or whether you are poor so far as this world is concerned and shabbily dressed, and whether you are white or black. All are alike made welcome. The services are being held and have been held in the assembly room of the court house every Sunday afternoon at from 2 to 5 o'clock. If you are rich in worldly possessions and yet poor in heavenly treasure you come. If you are poor in worldly possessions, you can become rich in heavenly possessions, you come. Everybody is welcome.

Olivet Presbyterian.

Preaching both morning and evening: 10:30 and 7 p. m., by the Rev. Scott F. Hershy, of Angola, Ind.

Mr. Hershy is a powerful speaker and should be heard by large congregations.

Sunrise meeting at 5:30. Sunday school at 9:15, officers and teachers urged to be present. Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening.

You are invited to all services.

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Rev. M. C. Howey, pastor.

The morning service at 10:30.
Organ Voluntary—Organist.
Anthem—"Hosanna" Cliona.
"Apostles Creed."
Prayer—Pastor.
Anthem—"The Risen Lord—Christ."
Responsive Scripture Reading.
Offering
Sermon—Pastor.
Anthem—"Alpha and Omega"—Choir.
Receiving new members.
Benediction.
Sunday school at 9:15.
Dr. Sidner, superintendent

Evening Program.

Message of Light.
Song—The Day of Resurrection—School.
Scripture Reading—School.
Prayer by pastor.
Song—Sunbeams, Beginners' Department.
Song—God Has Sent His Angels—School.
Address Life of Livingstone—Dr. Sidner.
Song—O God of Bethel—School.
Reading of 121 Psalm—Congregation.
Stories of Livingstone
The Pioneer—Dorothy Benson.
Smoke of a Thousand Villages—Harlow Herrman.

EASTER.

At Easter we should feel our very hearts budding and blossoming with new loves, new hopes and new determinations to realize the joyfulness of the Christian spring. What is it that makes Easter morning glorious with a glory all its own? It is the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is an abandoned grave. It is the angel ministry which says to all human sorrow the winter is over and gone; the time of the singing of the birds is come. Let us enter into sympathy with this gospel of redemption and preach the gracious doctrines of Christ with an accent of hope rising into an accent of triumph.—Rev. Dr. Joseph Parker.

On the Slave Trail—Nell Rideour.
True to His Promise—Gail Hovey.
Song—O North With All Thy Vales of Green—School.
Friends Who Were Faithful—Margaret Bush.
Memory Hymn—By choir.
Coronation of Livingstone's Picture.
The Resurrection—Myrtle Phillians.
Droop Half-Mast Colors—Helen Long.
Pastor's address.
Hymn—We've a Story to Tell to the Nations.
Benediction.

Calvary Reformed.

West Wayne street near Main. Rev. B. H. Roth will conduct the services. Morning at 10:30 and evening at 7:00. Sunday school at 9:15. Holy communion at the morning service.

South Side Church of Christ.

Frederick C. Lake, minister.

Bible school promptly at 9; special program will be given; this will be appropriate to the Easter season. Let us make this the great day of the year in our Bible school.

Church services at 10:30 and at 7: a business matter of especial importance will be brought before the congregation at the morning service. All services will commence promptly on time.

Christ Church, Episcopal.

Corner North and West streets. Arthur M. Griffin, rector.

Services for Easter Day.

7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion
9:30 a. m.—Sunday school.
10:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer Holy Communion and sermon.
Preacher—The Rector.
Pro. Hymn .....
"O the Golden Glowing Morning"
Christ Our Passover .. Max Vogueh
Gloria ..... Robinson
Deum ..... Harker
Jubilate ..... Metzke
Hymn ..... "Come Ye Faithful"
Kyrie ..... Dorey
Gloria Tibi ..... Dorey
Gratias ..... Dorey
Hymn "Angels Roll the Rock Away"
Sermon ..... The Rector
Offertory ..... Miss Pearl Jackson
Presentation .....
..... "Holy Offering Rich and Rare"
Sanctus ..... Dorey
Benedictus ..... Dorey
Agnus Dei ..... Dorey
Hymn ..... "And Now O Father"
Gloria in Excelsis ..... Old Chant
Rec. Hymn "Jesus is Risen Today"
4 p. m.—Vesper service
Soloist—Mrs. Baldwin Davies.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.

North and Elizabeth streets. John Wm. Richards, pastor. Parsonage 601 north Jameson avenue New phone 162-M. Seats free, books for strangers. Easter Sunday—Weekly Bible reading, I Corinthians, chapters 1 to 8. 9:00 a. m., Bible school in charge of Supt. Charles F. Sprague. 10:00 a. m., special preparatory service. 10:30 a. m., festival service and Holy communion. 3 p. m., baptismal of infants. 7:00 p. m., Easter celebration by the school. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., reception to the newly confirmed, at the church. Friday, 6 p. m., Boys' league, entertained by Mrs. C. F. Sprague. Saturday, all day Easter sale by the Aid society at J. W. Rowlands' store, 148 north Main street.

St Paul's A. M. E.

Morning Worship—11 a. m.

Bible reading.
Hymn—Coronation.
Prayer.
Anthem—"Consider the Lilies."
Sermon—"The Message of Easter."
Chorus—"Low in the Grave."
Offering.
Benediction.

Evening Service—7 O'clock.

Anthem—Easter Anthem—Choir
Solo—"Calvary"—Mrs. Alla Douglass.
Reading—"Easter Governed by the Moon"—Mrs. Bailey.
Anthem—"Welcome Thou Victor"—Choir.
Duet—Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rayomer.
Anthem—"Lift Up Your Heads"—Choir.
Solo—"Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"—Mr. Chas. Hamilton.
Address—"Our Mission Fields"—Rev. Fox
Quartet—"To the Haven of Thy Bosom"—Misses Hazel and Ethel Jones, Messrs. Patterson and Morris.
Duet—"Abide With Me"—Mesdames Stewart and Hamilton.
Anthem—"Christ, the Lord, is Risen Today."
Offering.
Benediction.

HEAVEN AND EARTH REJOICE.

Tomorrow, Easter Sunday, the world gives pause from its sordid, material energies and interests, in commemoration of the resurrection of a wonderful being named Christ Jesus. Long centuries have passed by since that first Easter morn—long centuries of conflict among human minds as to just how much that God-man's sacrifice has meant to this old world of ours.

Men have scoffed and men have worshipped at the shrine of the Christ child, but one irrevocable fact has stood out as a beacon light to the weary, heartsick and heart hungry of the world since that first Easter day, and that is the sublime character of brotherly love which radiated from the life and teachings of the humble son of Mary and Joseph. Kingdoms have risen and crumbled, human ambitions have been gratified only to sink into oblivion at a St. Helena; individuals have found satisfaction in all that a temporal power could bestow and yet mankind, face to face with the inevitable realization of that which is most worth the while, turns today to the Christ as an exemplification of the highest attributes of genuine manhood, charity, justice and brotherly love.

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New President Prefers to Earn What He Makes by Own Efforts.

Paris, March 22.—President Poincare has made up his mind to spend, as fast as he receives it, every penny of his presidential income of $240,000 a year. Then at the end of his seven-year term he will return without savings to earning his living as a lawyer. A total income during the term of office of nearly $1,700,000 has given opportunity to previous French presidents to lay aside a snug sum against the the time when they retire to private life, but even this commendable thrift does not enter into the plans of the new president of the French Republic.

M. Poincare expressed this determination to be lavish in his expenditures to a lawyer friend a few days ago. His friend thought this was rather unwise, and pointed out to the president that his private means were not large.

"What will you do if you don't save anything, when you are no longer president?" he asked.

"Do?" answered M. Poincare, "why, work, of course. Mr. Taft is going to become a professor at Yale when he leaves the White House; why should not I put on my advocate's gown again?"

Only a Sash? Horrors!

Although French presidents only appear with the sash of the Legion of Honor in public, they could, if they wished, display as many variegated ribbons, stars and crosses as any hereditary monarch in the world.

Of living ex-presidents, M. Loubet holds the record; he has no less than 33 Grand Ribbons and Grand Crosses, as against 28 for his successor, M. Fallieres. M. Loubet alone among ex-presidents has the Golden Fleece of Spain; the Lion of the Netherlands; the Lion of Norway; the Imtiaz of Turkey; the Liberator of Venezuela; the Star of Ethiopia; the Order of Daniel I. of Montenegro; the Golden Lion of Luxemburg; the Redemption of Liberia, and the Order of the Blood of Tunis. M. Fallieres holds exclusively the Grand Cordons of St. Stephen; of Charles III; of Christ of Portugal; of St. Olaf; of the Nichaam-Iftikhar, and of the Order of Carol I of Romania.

May Have Been a Bull Moose.

The question of the nationality of Christopher Columbus, and where he was born, continues to prove an inexhaustible subject of discussion for historians and philologists.

The latest contribution to the debate comes from a French writer, Henri Schoen, who brings forward a number of new arguments in support of the tradition that Christopher Columbus was born at Calvi, in Corsica. This tradition is, of course, in direct contradiction to the theory that the discoverer of America was of Genoese birth, and it is also contrary to the views of such learned Spaniards as de la Riega and the Marquis de Dos Fuentes, who maintain that Columbus, or Colon, according to the Spanish form of the name, was in reality a native of Galicia, in Spain, a fact which he always concealed with the object of hiding his Jewish origin.

The Spanish investigators, while arguing against the claims of the Italians for Genoa, join hands with them in attacking the theories of Schoen. The French writer bases his arguments on certain names and other details that appear in the narrative of Columbus. In this recital, which is written in the purest of Spanish, one party sees Galician and the other Genoese reminiscences, while Schoen finds support for his Corsican theory. He points out, for instance, that Columbus refers to names called "toninas," a word equally unknown in Italy and Spain, but of everyday use in Corsica.

To this the Spanish philologist, Mariano de Cavia, replies that, on the contrary, the word "tonina" is generally used by Spanish seafaring folk to designate either the fresh tunny fish or the dolphin. By employing this word in the text of his narrative Columbus was not going out side that language and the consequent inference of his Corsican origin only becomes one more proof of his Spanish birth.

Clover for the Faithful.

Old Mathieu, aged seventy, the driver of one of the ramshackle cabs of Paris, and his horse Manon, as old relatively for a horse as he is for a man, are to spend the rest of their days in "clover."

Mathieu came out of the cab-man's retreat a few days ago to find a stranger stroking his horse's nose. The gentleman explained that he recognized in Manon the horse he used to ride when serving in a cavalry regiment.

"I was very fond of him," send he, "and I would like him to end his days on my place in the country." He offered to buy the horse.

"I would as soon sell my wife if I had one," said the cabman. "No other creature loves me, so far as I know, and I have no other companion. No, I do not think there is enough money in Paris to buy Manon."

The stranger in the end offered the cabman a home on his estate for both himself and his horse. Mathieu accepted gratefully, and now they are both down in Gascony.

A Curious Discovery.

Professor Quervain, of Zurich, has made a curious discovery in the realm of sound transmission that may explain a hitherto incomprehensible incident of history.

Dynamite in large quantities has been used in the construction of the railroad to the top of the Jungfrau, a mountain nearly 14,000 feet high in the Bernese Alps. The professor observed tht the sound of the dynamite explosions was heard distinctly for a distance of thirty miles. Then, between thirty miles and forty-four miles, the explosions were absolutely inaudible, only to be heard again beyound the forty-four mile zone.

The professor is not yet able to determine the cause of this "zone of silence," but he makes the interesting sugestion that a similar zone at Liegnitz, in Prussia, where Frederick the Great defeated the Austrians in 1760, may account for the persistence with which the Austrian General, Count von Daun, declared he never heard the sound of cannonading in spite of the fact that the roar of the Prussian artillery was heard distinctly by men further from the battle field than was the Austrian commander. Failing to hear the Prussian guns, von Daun did not go to the aid of General Laudon, whose command might have been saved by his presence.

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The Easter Hat as a Life Preserver

[While service was being held at one of the churches an organ pipe fell on the head of a worshiper. But a bonnet which she was wearing probably saved her life.—News Item.]

Seated one day near the organ.
With her head devoutly bowed,
An organ pipe fell on her
With a noise both sharp and loud.

It woke up the congregation,
And they feared she had taken harm,
But the pipe had struck on her bonnet,
Which protected her like a charm.

It prevented all pain and headache,
For it was both big and soft,
And the pipe had no power to harm her
That fell from the organ loft.

Men have sought the reason vainly
Why our sex wear turbans large,
With velvet and fur o'erloaded,
And they've grumbled at the charge.

It may be that death's bright angel
Has spared one life just to show
That the saints approve in heaven
Of the hats on earth below.

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For two or three weeks ahead of time Washington's youngest generation carries on big preparations for the egg rolling. The boys gather their eggs with an expert discrimination in favor of those with hard shells. They determine the strength of the shell by tapping the egg against their teeth, the compact by sound and "feel" fixing the character of the shell. The chosen eggs are then boiled hard, and the owner is ready for the final "picking" process. On meeting another lad he says, "Say, will you pick?" Of course if the second youngster is properly armed he will acquiesce. Each then grasps an egg in one hand, with his fingers covering its surface so that only the tip is presented to the opponent. They tap the exposed tips against each other until one is broken. Then the other end is brought into play. When an egg suffers fracture at both ends it is forfeited.

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Now that the death knell has rung for organized baseball in Lima, for the coming season, at least, interest is reviving in amateur baseball, and from all indications, the fans of this city will be treated to some high class sport by local talent.

Lima has always boasted of several high class amateur organizations, but interest in the league team has tended to detract from their performances on the diamond. Already the players are discussing plans for the coming season, and when the bell taps, a number of teams will take the field, ready to combat with the amateur and semi-professional teams of northwestern Ohio, as in the past.

There is talk also of a Saturday afternoon league, to be made up from teams from the various manufacturing institutions in the city. It has been rumored that teams will be recruited from the ranks of the employees of the Lima Locomotive Corporation, the Ohio Steel Foundries, the Gramm Motor Car company, and the Deisel-Wemmer cigar factory.

Messrs. Wright and Kaufman, who have a lease on San Felice park, former home of the Ohio State league team, have expressed themselves favorably on the proposition for a Saturday afternoon league, and if such an organization is formed, there will be no trouble in securing the park for the games.

It is also likely that a team will be recruited from the amateur ranks to play at San Felice park on Sunday afternoon, giving the fans baseball on the two days of the week when it is most convenient for them to attend the games. There is no doubt but that both ventures would prove howling successes, for Lima has always boasted of the largest attendance of any town in the league on Saturdays and Sundays.

A few more balmy days like Wednesday and Thursday of the past week will start the baseball pot a-boiling, and by the time the season opens, plans will have been formulated for high class baseball in this city during the summer months.

"Gunboat" Smith.

"Gunboat" Smith claims the heavyweight championship of England because he knocked out "Bombardier" Wells in two rounds at Madison Square Garden March 14. With a left swing to the stomach, followed by a right swing to the jaw Smith toppled the clever Englishman over in the second round. Taking nine seconds the British champion rose to meet another right swing to the jaw and he went down and out.

Smith thereby became one of the most popular heavyweights in the United States. He took the place of Wells in popular estimation. The athletic Briton by his gentlemanly qualities had won the regard of the fight fans even though it was doubted if he had stamnia for hard fighting. Smith is now considered the logical opponent for Luther McCarty. Should he win from the so-called "white champion" he will probably claim the "white heavyweight" championship of the world.

SO LONG, STOGIES TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOURSELVES.

Auburn, N. Y., March 22.—Secretary John R. Farrell, of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues today gave out the following decisions affecting minor baseball.

Franchise and players of the Newark, Ohio, and Mansfield, Ohio, clubs have been forfeited to the Ohio State league. The franchise and players of the Lima club in the Ohio State League have been transferred to Hamilton, Ohio.

TRAINING TO COMMENCE SOON.

Portsmouth Players Have Been Ordered to Report Within Next Week or Two.

Portsmouth, O., March 22.—It is thought that the Portsmouth Ohio State league team will commence training within a week or two. As yet President Gableman has not received any of the signed contracts, but he is looking for them by the last of the week.

As soon as all the contracts are in, the date for spring training will be set and the Cobblers will get down to business, as they are expected to put up a good fight this season.

It is pretty hard to pick a possible line up at this time of the year, but it is understood that this city will be represented by nearly the same aggregation that finished last season.

TINKER AND EVERS CLASSY KILLERS OF BASE STEALERS

When Joe Tinker and Johnny Evers were playing alongside of each other in Chicago, they were accounted the fastest pair of infielders in the National league, and the summary of a Cub box-score that didn't contain the phrase, "Double plays—Tinker to Evers to Chance, 2" was considered a curio. These two men undoubtedly started more double plays than any other pair of infielders in the National league, and now that the combination has been split up, fans are wondering what duo of players will be their successors as rapid fire double play artists. Chicagoans, of course, hope that Al Bridewell will prove as speedy as J. Evers'nam and will force his way into as many double plays as did the Cincinnati leader. The fans of Redland naturally look to Tinker to speed up Dick Egan and teach him the classic style Trojan Evers possessed when participating in dual killing.

It is hardly likely that Bridwell will work as quickly or as smoothly with Evers as did Tinker, or that Evers will be able to make his equal out of Egan. The probabilities, based on last years figures, are that the Giants will have the quickest pair of double play artists in Larry Doyle, who won the Chalmers car offered to the National league's most valuable player last year, and Arthur Fletcher, who would pull down all prizes were they offered to the ball player possessing the largest pair of hands.

Doyle and Fletcher cut into 142 double plays last season, Evers and Tinker doing a bit better, since they broke into 151. The New York captain took part in 79 double plays, his team-mate in 63, the new Cub leader was in 73, and the new commander of the Reds was in 78. Of the four men named, Fletcher started the greatest number of two play retirements—namely, 41. Doyle had 35 to his credit, Evers 32 and Tinker 32.

The National league players participated in 100 double plays. Jack Miller of Pittsburg approaching nearest to the century mark with 95. Fred Merkle was in 87, but did not start in a single dual killing.

The National league's fastest fielding team, based on the number of double plays participated in, would have been made up last season in this fashion:

	Double Plays St.	H	Tot.
P—Lavendar, Chicago	4	1	5
C—Kling, Boston	5	14	19
1b—Miller, Pittsburg	14	81	95
2b—Sweeney, Boston	34	47	81
3b—Herzog, New York	18	9	27
ss—Tinker, Chicago	37	41	78
lf—Carey, Pittsburg	9	1	10
cf—Leach, Chicago	7	0	7
rf—Mitchell, Cincinnati	8	0	8
or			
Schulte, Chicago	8	0	8

HAD OFFER TO JOIN OUTLAWS.

Portsmouth, O., March 22.—Mike O'Day, a local outfielder, received an offer, quite flattering in nature, Thursday from old Bill Phillips, who is going to manage the team the new Federal league will put in Indianapolis. Mr. Phillips in his letter to O'Day stated that each club had posted $5,000 to finish the season and that the outlook was good for a fine year.

As Sir Michael is under contract with Springfield he will have to turn down Phillips' offer. The latter is conducting a poolroom in Charleroi, Pa. Mike leaves next week to join the Springfield team. He will play center field for the Reapers and as usual will put up a high class article of ball. There are few better center fielders in the minors than Mike. He always plays the game up to the handle and even hits a few there once in a while.

Mike says he doesn't want to play in an outlawed league, and that is why he turned down Phillips' offer. He expects to be sold to one of the major or league teams ere the bell taps for the finale of the 1913 season. "Major Who? Made-you-turn back from second." That is a sample of the nutty stuff being pulled in the Slang league.

Y. M. C. A. LEADERSHIP CORPS.

W. Shreeves,
Wm. Counseller,
Wilbur DeWeese,
Walter Zerbst,
Harold Bowman,
Harold Neely,
Rob Clutter,
Wm. Metzgar,
Ed Wingate,
Cyril Yazel,
Chas. Hagerman,
Earl Miller,
Richard Goudie,
Rodney Clark,
Virgil Sheets,
Chester Hutson,
F. A. Norquidist,
Hobart Maumaugh,
James Fletcher,
Bert Whitman.

Leadership! That is a significant word in the vocabulary of present day civilization in fact of any civilization. Every man from the time he puts on his first pair of suspenders has aspired to excell in something or other, and too frequently has been just a little bit envious of the man who could outdo him.

Why do some men grow into leadership, while hundreds fall behind and are followers; and not the best at that. Natural endowment helps some, circumstances of birth and environment contribute their share, but use of opportunities, investment of spare moments and nickles in that which makes for leadership, is after all chiefly responsible. The open door of the opportunities that the Y. M. C. A. affords has been seen by young men they have entered, not merely becoming a member of the Association, but of the classes and clubs formed therein, and by persistent application, aspiration and perspiration, they are growing into the leadership that the world of business, of industry, of society, of government and of morals is seeking. These young men are deriving so much from the association because they are putting so much into it, time, energy, thought, influence, service. They are aiding in definite class work as leaders of groups of men and boys. Some times the whole class is assigned to a leader and if the physical director should be compelled to be absent for a time, these leaders are prepared, by the training they have been getting, to take up the work and keep it going successfully. This same door is open to hundrends of other young men, who need what they will find at the association to make leaders of them.

Over three hundred men and boys are enrolled in the gymnasium classes, over a hundred in the educational classes and clubs and hundreds more make the association their headquarters for fellowship, recreation and reading.

The Membership Campaign that is on for March 26th is intended to sound just a little louder the clarion call to young men to activities that will increase their efficiency as workmen and their influence as citizens, and put them in a fair way to become leaders in their chosen fields.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Johnny Evers would feel much better if he had Jimmy Archer signed to a contract for the season. The manager has nothing to do with the signing of the men, but at the same time he is greatly interested in the outcome of the quarrel between the star backstop and the president. Evers wants Archer in line as soon as possible, for the time is drawing near when he will be needed.

If Leibold makes good as an outfielder the Naps will possess the smallest man in the American league, robbing the Tigers of that distinction, which has been applied to Donie Bush.

Harry Fritz, fresh from Philadelphia Central high school, is doing some powerful hitting with the second squad of the Athletic in the exhibition games. In one contest he got a double, triple and single and scored four runs.

Bill Phillips says: "Baseball has become a game of thinks."

Hans Wagner works a crafty stunt. He'll fash out at a wide one and miss it intentionally, in the knowledge that the pitcher will think he has him fooled and put another in the same place. When he does tians knocks the stitches off.

Tom Hanley, the Giant recruit pitcher, who died the other day, had been promised to the Mobile team this year.

Morgan Blake, upon reading that Murphy would let the Cubs drink beer moderately in hot weather, said: "Oh, Moderation! How many gutters have been filled and how many lamp posts bent in thy name!"

There is still a difference of $1,000 between Sam Crawford and the Detroit baseball club. President Navin says Wahoo Sam can quit if he doesn't care to accept his figure.

Runt Walsh is being touted by Doolin as the best all-round utility man and pinch hitter in the National league. His first extra base hit of the year was a home run off Seaton, with Miller on the base.

Sam Thompson, star slugger of the Detroit world's champions in 1887, has just passed his 53rd birthday.

Fred Clark says that one of the Pirates' best players this year will be Jack Ferry.

PLAYERS ON THE IRONTON ROSTER.

Ironton, O., March 22.—The following is a complete list of the players under contract or practically the same as under contract with the Ironton team at the present time: Albert Deitch, Wid Moon, J. C. Rhoades, Frank Stout, Sam Mowery, Frank Linson, Walter Johnson, George Miller, Flerrie Sullivan, Henry Davis, J. H. Matthews, Herbert Howell, Frank Trautman, Tom Crowe, Earl Ratcliff, Pearley Arbough, Eddie Taylor, Gus Epler, Joe Potter, Grover McDaniel, Fred Fisher, Christie Kearns, Mike Whalen and Joe Failey.

CERTIFICATE: Your grocer has Gold Medal Flour. GUARANTEE

Marquard Absent From the Fold.

Rube Marquard, who was married recently to Miss Blossom Seeley in San Francisco, is still a wanderer from the Giant fold. The tall rural gentleman reports that he is enjoying the salubrious climate of the coast, and vouchsafes no information as to his future plans.

HOW MARION LOST ITS BALL TEAM.

(Marion Star.)

Marion's chances to break into the Ohio State league were lost through Mansfield throwing up the sponge at the meeting at Chillicothe, Monday. Paul Sturges, the principal factor of the Mansfield club, had so many conditions on the back of the check deposited as a forfeit to go through the season, that it was hardly bankable.

The representatives of the meeting voiced their opinions, and Sturges had presented his views. After some remarks, the representatives of the six clubs which now compose the league decided to continue without Mansfield and Sturges showed a willingness to quit.

Mansfield wanted Marion represented in the league, as did the other representatives at the meeting. A scheme has been outlined whereby President Read, Secretary Joe Carr and Nate McCoy were to come to Marion Tuesday and interest local enthusiasts in forming a company to take $1500 worth of stock in the local club. The local club was to have been backed by a big league club, which would have assured ball for the entire season without any trouble over meeting the salaries of the players. The blow was a sad one for local fans, as it was practically assured that $1500 would be raised with very little trouble. Marion's only chance is for one of the clubs to fail during the season and be transferred here, but this is hardly probable, as the clubs are well backed, and Marion is so far distant from the other cities that constitute the league.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

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We've plenty of samples. Stop in and look them over.

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140 West High St. Opposite Postoffice

CHARLESTON BUBBLING OVER WITH ENTHUSIASM

Charleston, March 22.—Hardly a mail arrives in Charleston that does not contain a communication from some baseball player who wishes to attach himself to the Charleston baseball team. The signatures of more than a dozen promising players have been appended to contracts in the hands of President Pennywitt and all of the fellows will be given a try out. If they perform to the satisfaction of Manager "Buzz" Wetzel they will wear the Charleston uniform just so long as they produce the goods.

Charleston is promised a better class of baseball than it ever has had. The class will be there. Everything will be done to give the fans the kind of game they have been hankering after lo these many years, and if they will be satisfied with a first class article they will be given the opportunity to see how far they will go with a ball team that is being conducted on a business basis, not wholly for the sport, but as a business proposition.

The promoters of the team expect to make money this season. They are making a pretty stiff investment, for it surely will cost some money to get the Wehrle field in proper trim. The grandstand will be a credit to the park. The old one will be changed about in such a manner that it will not be recognized when the opening session is had there between the Senators and the Portsmouth champs of last season. This initial contest will be played on Thursday, May 8, one day later than was first arranged, and the second contest will be between the same teams, and the occasion will be the first Ladies' day of the season. From that time until the close of the playing season, every Friday will be Ladies' day. There are about as many women fans in Charleston as there are men enthusiasts and they will be afforded every possible comfort, with a guarantee also that there will be none of the rough features that did a great deal to lessen the popularity of the game in Charleston heretofore.

A great deal of work will be done this week in getting the grounds in shape. It is expected that 150 wagon loads of earth will be necessary in getting the diamond in the condition it should be. The grand stand will be enlarged and made comfortable with a seating capacity of 1250 persons. The bleachers will be ample in capacity and arranged so that the Sun Fans will have as good as view of the game as do those in the grand stand.

Coach Hickman will insist on one thing and that is that the practices be short and snappy. Just as soon as the first men are on the ground activities will be started and there will not be a lull in the proceedings until time is called for a half. The coach will make an effort to make the workouts as snappy and peppery as possible as he is one of those kind of fellows who believes that fifteen minutes of practice with plenty of "zip" is worth two hours of the other kind.

The majority of the old men were out for the first practice and even Tommy McMinn, who hasn't a chance of a show to play this spring was out in togs. The afternoon's practice concluded with a chase around the field. Among those out yesterday were Lively, Adams, Reusch, Groves, Stucel, Stewart, Mason, Leatherwood, Burdette, Trail, Casto, Smith, Boone and others. Practice will be held this afternoon at three o'clock and several men who were unable to lay their hooks on an outfit yesterday will be out today. The season does not open until April 18, when Marshall comes for two games.

ONLY FIFTEEN WILL REPORT.

Manager Childs Will Have Small Squad of Rookies for the Spring Training.

Portsmouth, O., March 22.—The fans of Portsmouth will not have the satisfaction of viewing a vast army of recruits this spring. The "good old days" in this respect are at an end so far as the year 1913 is concerned.

Not more than fifteen men will report, and with the exception of one single player, all are good men, strong and true.

This will mean that the club will save handsomely, not only via the board route, but in railroad fare as well.

It will also mean that the fans will not be kept on the anxious seat, relative to the "heads that will fall in the baskets."

In fact, but one untried player will be present when the roll is called. Said youngster will be a pitcher, whose head towers 6 feet 4 inches from the bottom of his feet. He is a pitcher recommended to the local club by Cy Marshall, erstwhile twirler for the Champs, who is now trying out for a permanent berth on the Philadelphia team of the National league. Cy says the "human string" is a phenom, and will cut quite a swath in the Ohio State league. He has already signed his contract and his arrival is awaited with much interest.

Portsmouth will have a squad of seven pitchers who will work out under the watchful and discerning eye of Manager Childs.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

TINKER SHOULD MAKE GOOD WITH REDS, THINKS DONLIN

Dayton, O., March 22.—"They can all keep their eyes on the Cincinnati Reds this season," declared Mike Donlin Monday morning as he and Charley Grapewin were directing the rehearsal of "Between Showers" at the National theatre. The famous outfielder and slugger, who is at present holding out for money money from the Philadelphia Nationals, has no intention of returning to the diamond at the present time, and expressed the belief that he had probably played his last game. "I like the theatrical game," said Michael. "Mr. Grapewin has a great show and he and I enjoy working together. I am anxious to make good behind the footlights and my friends have been kind enough to say very nice things about my work on the stage. As far as baseball is concerned I am merely a fan—and always will be a loyal one."

Sir Michael thinks Fred Clarke has a great chance to land in front with his Pirates and he believes his old boss McGraw, will be there or thereabouts, as usual. But he thinks none of the clubs can afford to overlook the Reds, as he figures Tinker will not only strengthen a position where the Reds have been weak for years, but will prove an able leader.

"It's strange about Cincinnati," said Mike. "There's one of the best baseball towns in the country and they have had scores of great players. The year 1908 when the Cubs beat us out of the pennant in the final game of the season, we had seven ex-members of the Cincinnati club in our lineup, and every one of them was a big factor in the success of the Giants. I can't give any particular reason for the failure of the Cincinnati clubs year after year, save that the town has been unfortunate. This year I expect to see a change, for the Reds have the material, and Tinker is the boy who should get the work out of them."

This is not Mike's first visit to this city, but his first as a member of the theatrical profession. The last time he was here was with the Reds in an exhibition game, and Otto Hess beaned him with a fast one. Charles Grapewin is a former Daytonian and his mother resides here now.

Opening and Closing Of Major and Minor Leagues In the Great Amercian Game

April 1—Pacific Coast League, October 26.

April 10—American League, October 5.

April 10—National League, October 5.

April 10—American Association, September 29.

April 10—Texas League, September 7.

April 10—Southern League, September 7.

April 15—Northwestern League, September 28.

April 16—International League, September 21.

April 17—South Atlantic League, September 1.

April 17—Virginia League, September 13.

April 18—Western League, October 5.

April 23—Central League, September 7.

April 23—Eastern Association, (formerly Connecticut League) September 7.

April 30—New York State League, September 14.

April 30—Tri-State League, September 1.

April 30—Central Association, September 1.

May 7—Southern Michigan League, September 17.

May 8—Ohio State League, September 21.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

SOCIETY AND THE CLUBS.

HER EASTER HAT.

By EARLE HOOKER EATON.

pyright, 1913, by American Press Association.

A LOVELY one, they call your hat,
But I--I do not know,
or how can eyes waste time on that,
With such a face below?

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Saturday.

e Ladies' Social club of the d Commercial Travelers will tain their husbands at dinner, otel Norval, this evening, seven k.

Sunday.

nd Easter music in all the city hes, morning, afternoon and ng, extoling the resurrection of t.

Monday.

ster dance of the Quilna club, om of the new Lima club, many out-of-town guests, even-

s. J. C. Linneman will enter- the Woman's Bridge club at o'clock luncheon, followed by at her country home, Wald-

ting of the general chairmen hose in charge of the commit- making up the Industrial and Conditions' department of the federation, city library, three k.

thean club meets with Franklin Stiles, of Richie ave- for the regular study period, ng.

. J. T. Wolford, of north Col- rt, will entertain the Sorosis afternoon.

Table will meet with Mrs. Johnson, of south Pierce afternoon.

T. R. Terwilliger, of west street, will entertain the s club, afternoon.

Tuesday.

William Holmes Mackenzie Mrs. Branson Harley Holmes Miss Ireland, Miss Ohler Wemmer, brides-elect, with tea, afternoon.

post-Lenten dance of Lima Elks, for members and milies, Elks' home, evening.

S. Vicary, of west Market ill entertain the West End club, afternoon.

Woodmen benefit for fur- of playground movement, ll, evening.

G. S. Ensley, of south West ill entertain the Cotorie afternoon.

Wednesday.

Henry G. Wemmer will give time luncheon at her west street home, as a courtesy to Pauline Wemmer, a bride-to- season.

Clyde Cook, of Richie ave- entertain the J. M. F. C. afternoon.

Thursday.

Artemus B. Gray, of west street, will give a large mill- uncheon, afternoon.

recital of the Women's club, interpreting Russian Elks' home, afternoon.

James W. Hays, of south street, will entertain the home club, afternoon.

Thomas Huffman, of south nard street, will be hostess for tre Nous; afternoon.

Friday.

Mrs. Charles F. Sprague, of west North street, will entertain the Boys' league of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, evening.

Misses Abbie Price and Fannie Hughes will give a tea party for Miss Ireland, five o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Jacobs, of east Elm street, will entertain the T. and T. club at dinner, evening.

Saturday.

Lima City Federation of clubs meets in the auditorium of Christ Church, Episcopal, followed by the serving of tea in the parish house, afternoon, two to five.

Misses Lillian and Anna Taylor give a delightful little five o'clock tea, honoring brides-elect of the spring-time.

EASTER.

Once more the Easter morning brings
The buds of flowers to living things
And happy birds set singing.
The lilies burst to snowy bloom,
And fill the air with sweet perfume,
While Easter bells are swinging.

Like the beautiful lily, so symbolic of the day it typifies, Easter morn breaks upon us in all the radiance of its glory. For forty days and for forty nights we have been taught of the significance and meaning of Lent and the trials under which the Savior of the World passed, in order to offer redemption to a sinful world. The week just past has been very significant of this fact—in Lima there has been but few churches that have not brought their worshippers closer to these truths by week-day services. And all with the one object in view—to make better men and women and equip us more fully for the responsibilities of the coming year.

Tomorrow spring is here. The drooping lily, the modest violet, the flowers taken from artificial heat and warmth, will yield up their fragrance tomorrow in all the city churches, praising, in their small way the Redeemer of the World. Easter puts the vernal touch of spring on every living thing and the worshippers in the churches, in accordance with the dictates of fashion, will vie with the spring flowers in their beauty.

The music will tell of the Risen Lord and in nearly every church, special efforts have been put forth to place the congregations in tune with nature.

Holy week will reach a glorious finale in that Queen Festival of all the year tomorrow, Easter day. While the past week has been very quiet socially, like the butterfly bursting its chrysalis will come the festivities of Easter week and days following.

Miss Marguerite Bellman, of Toledo, will arrive Monday to be the guest for a week of Miss Gertrude Findley, and enjoy the post-Lenten festivities.

Mrs. C. F. Sprague of west North street, will entertain the Boys' league of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, Friday evening at 6 o'clock.

The season's festivities will reach their height Monday evening when, at the new Lima club, the closing dance of the Quilna club will be held. The beautiful ballroom of the club will be resplendent in its decorations suggestive of Easter time and will be further enchanced by the pretty gowns which will be worn by the charming women dancers. The dance will be distinctive for the number of guests who are just home from several weeks among the palms of Florida and the presence of college boys and girls who are home for the Easter recess. A large number of out-of-town guests have also received cards for the dance. The committee which has been in charge during the year, and upon whom so much credit devolves for these original and happy affairs, consisting of G. L. Wall, president; W. J. Booth, secretary; A. L. White, F. E. Harman, E. M. Gooding, O. F. Ramseyer, H G. Gilpin, F. E. Gooding, B. H Holmes, Ralph P. Mackenzie, Dr. J K. Bannister and C. J. McCune, planned the arrangements.

Ralph Mackenzie will entertain over the Quilna dance of Monday evening Starr Cooper, of New York City, who was his roommate at Yale, and Lucius Sears, a prominent young society man of Toledo.

Miss Fannie Hughes, of west Market street, entertained the Philomathean club, Monday evening. The papers on "Government by Laborers" by Mrs. W. H. Deakin and on "Australia and the United States, Two Good Friends," by Miss EElla Mackenzie, formed the program. Miss Abbie Price, a guest, was admitted to the club membership. Mrs. Franklin Stiles, of 906 Richie avenue, will entertain the club, Monday evening.

When the Easter parade passes by, it will be found that small hats are in the hey-day of their popularity, and are variously shown in oblong, round and aeroplane shapes. While side by side, will be found large flat picture hats for dress wear, with paradise and ostrich trimming.

Among the season's latest ideas, just received, are the Fifth avenue sailors, in simple yet extremely jaunty trimmed effects. Interest in the Balkan war has fostered a tendency to brilliant shades, such as find favor in that part of the world.

A season can not be remembered when high colors were so much used, or so daringly combined. With such colorings, and flowers and fruits for trimmings, we can imagine nothing more like a glimpse into the Garden of Eden.

But then, even if one hasn't a new hat to wear for Easter, we should be mighty thankful we are living and enjoy good health and go to church alone to worship, and not to see nor be seen. For after all, the weather man may upset all the plans of the milliner and the modiste and just see how real naughty he can be.

And then there is nothing more true than that man plans, but God overrules. So even without any of the delightful new things in the shops, one may enjoy Easter to the very fullest.

Mrs. Clyde Cook of 833 Richie avenue, will be hostess for the J. M. F. C. club, Wednesday afternoon, entertaining at her home.

The Hawthorne club will hold the regular fortnightly meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. James W. Hays of 426 south Baxter street. A delightful afternoon is in anticipation.

A meeting of the chairmen of the committees making up the Industrial and Social Conditions' department of the Lima City Federation of clubs, has been called for Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the city library, for the purpose of outlining a progran to be pursued during the year. Mrs. Jonas Wohlgemuth is general chairman, while Mrs. William Stewart is at the head of the industrial committee, Mrs. J. K. Bannister, the social committee Mrs. Henry S. Enck, the "Good Fellows," Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, the child welfare and Miss Jean Harter the juvenile court. Mrs. John W Roby president of the city federation will also be present to consult with the ladies.

Mrs. George S. Vicary of 332 west Market street, will entertain the West End Bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Linneman will entertain the Woman's Bridge cdlub, Monday afternoon at one o'clock luncheon at her country home, "Waldheim," followed by cards for the late afternoon hours.

The Ladies' Social club of the United Commercial Travelers will entertain their husbands at dinner at the Hotel Norval this evening, which will be served at the hour of seven o'clock.

The Masons will hold their Easter dance in Masonic Temple, Thursday evening, March 27. The house committee have arranged for a very pleasant evening and expect a general attendance of the members of the fraternity.

Mrs. W. F. Dobbins of South Metcalf street, was the charming hostess Wednesday afternoon for the meeting of the Floral Guild, in their regular monthly gathering. Mrs. George Easlen assisted. Spring flowers and ferns added a touch of vernal beauty to the rooms. In the three-course luncheon served, the color-scheme of white and green predominated and small silk green flags, commemorating St. Patrick, were used as favors.

A feature of the meeting was the election of new officers for the ensuing year and the following were named: Mrs. R. P. Jones, president; Mrs. William Roeder, vice president; Mrs. J. W. Blackburn, secretary and Mrs. Ira Finicle, treasurer. Both Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Finicle were re-elected. The quotations in response to roll call were on wit and humor and Mrs. Arthur Kasson gave an interesting reading. The guild never meets that beautiful flowers are not sent to Lima hospital to cheer the shut-ins in that institution and this month, nine beautiful bouquets were sent. Potted plants were in the majority, being especially appropriate at this season of the year.

This club, too, prides themselves on the charity work accomplished and stands high in the list of clubs and societies engaged in that splendid work during the past season. Mrs. J. W. Blackburn, of west Spring street, will be hostess at the next monthly meeting.

One hundred beautifully engraved cards, reading as follows, have been issued:

Mrs. Artemus B. Gray
At Home
Thursday, March Twenty-seventh
Two o'clock
Military Euchre

Mrs. Ray Fisher, of the Price apartments, east High street, opened her beautiful new home for the entertainment of the Koneta circle, Tuesday afternoon. The time was spent with needlework and a social half-hour, during which a delicious luncheon was served. Mrs. Fisher invited in as guests Mrs. Lee Copeland and Mrs. Alexander. Mrs. William H. Howell, of north Jameson avenue, will entertain the club in a fortnight.

The K. K. K. girls were entertained in a delightful manner Thursday evening, at the home of Miss Clara Frysinger, of south Pine street. Miss Pauline McGuire was admitted to membership in the club. The evening was spent in games and music, after which a delicious luncheon was served. Guests of the club were Miss Agnes Blair, of Findlay, Mrs. Bannister, Miss Gladys Ritenour and Miss Freda Frysinger. Members in attendance included Misses June Kuhn, Pauline McGuire, Ethel Rotsroff, Freda Exley, Edyth Jones, Katherine McKeever, Fay Johns, Grace Bullock and the hostess. Miss Mina Repass of north Metcalf street, will be hostess at the next meeting of the club.

Mrs. C. E. Winters, of west North street, was at home to members of the Lotus club, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Frank M. Bell told of her trip to Panama, in a most interesting story and, invested with the small details of which Mrs. Bell is capable, fascinating her hearers and making them feel quite like they were in the balmy southland or aboard one of the little fruit steamers on which Mrs. Bell and Miss Eleanor Bell made the trip on the Carribean seas. Mrs. Harry MacDonald played several beautiful piano numbers. Afternoon tea was served, completing the delightful social session. Mrs. Walter B. Ritchie will entertain the club at the next meeting, which will be held in the evening and at which a lecture will be given.

Mrs. J. R. Nichols of south West stret, opened her home Tuesday afternoon, for the entertainment of the Oneta circle. The ladies brought their needle work and chatted while busy fingers sewed. The rooms of the Nichols home were cheerful in their decorations of fragrant hyacinths and bright-colored tulips. In response to roll call, quotations anent Easter were given. Mrs. M. L. Allen read the Easter story. A delicious two-course luncheon was served

The Oneta club is given up largely to social work the past season having been a memorable one with them. Not only did they investigate and assist worthy cases, but several families were made to feel the cheer and comfort of their help. In one case, the ladies worked over a comforter and after the same had been finished as neatly as for one of their own homes, it was presented to a worthy family not so well off in this world's goods. The club meets fortnightly and Mrs. Louise Stilson, of south McDonald street, will be the hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. R. C. Massman, of west Market street, was hostess for the Sorosis club Monday afternoon, entertaining at her home. Mrs. Margaret Ireland gave a paper on the Vatican, Mrs. J. D. Wallace told of Livingstone and his triumphs and Mrs. E. B. Oglevie of the Holland women, Mrs. John W. Roby, president of the federation of clubs, was present, and outlined the work to be pursued during the year. Mrs. Massman served delicious refreshments and had one guest, Mrs. Bowne, in to enjoy the afternoon. Mrs. J. T. Wolford, of 429 north Collett street, will have the club with her Monday afternoon, and as there is business of importance to be transacted, every member is requested to be present.

Mr. W. H. Wahlater, who has recently come to Lima from the east, and who is a soloist of great ability, will sing "Jesus Lives," by Marzo, at the vesper service to be held at the Central Church of Christ, Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wahlater has a beautiful tenor voice.

Mrs. Henry G. Wemmer will preside at a spring-time luncheon at her home Wednesday, as a charming courtesy to Miss Pauline Wemmer, a bride-elect of the month of April.

Cards, beautifully engraved, and reading as follows were issued Friday to a large number of friends:

The Misses Taylor
At Home
Saturday, March Twenty-ninth,
Five o'clock.
Miss Alice Thomson,
Miss Ireland,
Miss Ohler.
R. S. V. P.

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MISS ELSIE DE WOLFE.

Miss Elsie De Wolf, formerly a famous actress, is now a member of the most exclusive women's clubs and is a popular member of society in this country and abroad. Miss De Wolfe gave up the stage to do interior decorating, and her talent in this line has won her many friends. Miss Anne Morgan, daughter of J. P. Morgan, saw Miss De Wolfe's work a few years ago and became interested in her. The two are close friends and have been traveling companions in several European trips. Miss De Wolfe has spent much of her time in Versailles, where she is prominent in the artistic set.

There will be two brides in the month of April, which this year, as in former ones, has proved a favorite month for what Shakespeare calls that "senior-junior-giant-dwarf Dan Cupid." Miss Foreste Elizabeth Ireland will be a bride of April 2, her marriage to Dr. Guy Fortney Bayly being an event of much interest. Miss Pauline Wemmer and Mr. Fred Gooding have chosen April 16 as their wedding day.

Mr. and Mrs. Parmenas Marion Ireland have issued a large number of invitations for the wedding of their daughter, which will be celebrated on the evening of Wednesday, at half after seven o'clock, in Trinity Methodist Episcopal church. A reception, immediately after the ceremony, at the Elks' home, for which a large number of cards have also been issued, will be held. Dr. Bayly and bride will reside in Lima, at 1236 Lakewood avenue, receiving their friends formally after June 1.

The marriage of Miss Pauline Wemmer and Mr. Gooding, which will be celebrated a fortnight later, is of no less interest. Although arrangements are yet not quite complete, it is likely the ceremony will take place at the home of the parents of the bride-elect, Mr. and Mrs. William Wemmer of 616 west Market street and will be a large social affair.

Then, as the season advances, Miss Catharine Ohler will be given in marriage to Mr. Harry Beckmann and Miss Alice Thomson will become the bride of Mr. Howard Bunting, a California man.

Mr. Paul Dobbins will arrive from the Ohio Northern university at Ada Saturday, to spend the Easter recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dobbins of South Metcalf street. Mr. Dobbins will bring with him two college friends, Mr. Robert Provert and Mr. Robert Starner who are also attending the Ohio Northern.

Members of the clubs in the city federation are urgently requested to attend the meeting arranged for Saturday afternoon in the auditorium of Christ church, Episcopal. At this time the work for the year will be outlined. In the three-minute conference, clubs will tell of something accomplished or something wished to be done.

Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, Mrs. F. G. Borges, Mrs. G. A. Herrett, Mrs. W. A. Campbell and Mrs. T. K. Jacobs, composing the ways and means committee, as well as chairmen of the various committees, will be in charge

Tea will be served in the parish house following, by the committee on home economics.

Mrs. R. O. Woods, Miss Ruth Basden, Miss Vera Watson and her stringed orchestra will go to Cridersville Easter evening to assist the choral society of Cridersville in the presentation of an Easter cantata Prof Fred M. Calvert will conduct the presentation.

Mrs. William Holmes Mackenzie and Mrs. Branson Harley Holmes will extend charming courtesy to fifty guests, Tuesday afternoon, giving a delightful tea at the home of Mrs Mackenzie, of 1327 Lakewood avenue. Miss Foreste Ireland, Miss Catherine Ohler and Miss Pauline Wemmer brides-elect, will be the guests especially honored.

There is nothing which society does that so stimulates the imagination and delights the soul as a musical concert. The audiences have learned to listen with interest and an ever-increasing knowledge of the great masters is gained. To the Women's Music club of Lima is due the credit this development of the love for good music and the highly-cultivated tastes of those who, at each concert, are found in their accustomed places. The community has grown to appreciate enormously these concerts in the past few years.

Lima people may well congratulate themselves when on the evening of Friday, April 11, the season will be brought to a close by the presentation of Germaine Schnitzer, a native of Germany, excelled by none, in a piano recital. The recital will be held at the Faurot opera house and indications point to the belief that this will be the largest and best of the numbers fostered by the club. Much social courtesy will be dispensed and already many large and small companies are arranging to attend. The towns adjacent to Lima will also send great crowds.

A stroll through the flower shops Easter week is enough to delight the heart and soul of any one, inspiring uplifting and beautiful as they are. Their fragrance and perfume cause one to take a cheerful view of life and to learn the simple lesson of the flowers. And although Easter is here early, the blossoms are very pretty this year.

There is the drooping white lily, in its stately blooms and purity, the modest little violet, bright tulips, the plant of the azalea, the cyclamen, the vari-colored sweet peas, with roses and carnations in great favor. And then the flowers of all spring, the jonquil, the daffodil and the fragrant hyacinth, real barbingers of the vernal season.

Growing plants as well will be blooming, all ready to pay their tribute of fragrance and color to Easter day, every taste and all color-schemes having been taken into consideration. The men are also reminded that a nosegay in their own buttonhole is de riguer on Easter day, for who would take his walk abroad or say his orisons at church on Easter day without a flower or two on his coat lapel, in a vase at his elbow or blooming in the sunshine of his window seat.

These little flowers point out the brighter side of life, the silver lining to the dark clouds overhead, the sunshine that follows the rain and reminds us of the sweet little wild-flower which will soon be growing by the wayside amid thorns and briers, known only by its fragrance and sweet perfume.

Tea will be served and a social hour enjoyed at the delightful little afternoon which Miss Abbie Price and Miss Fannie Hughes have planned Friday in compliment to Miss Foreste Ireland, a bride-to-be of early April. The tea party will be held at the home of Miss Price of west Market. About thirty young ladies have been invited.

Mrs. Walter Scott is entertaining Miss Anna Doolittle of Wattwald, Mich.

Mrs. J. O. Ohler has returned from a visit with her sister in Columbus.

Dr. Huston Spyker of Decatur, Ill., spent the early part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Spyker.

Mrs. W. L. Russell returned to Lima Friday, after a two months' stay with Mr. Russell in Tulsa, Oklahoma. While in that city, Mr. and Mrs. Russell were at the Hotel Tulsa. En route home, Mrs. Russell spent some time at Hot Springs and then went on to Little Rock, to visit her cousin, Mrs. Clifton Lee Brack.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Leatherman of Toledo, will arrive this evening to spend Easter with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Frey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rowe returned Thursday, to Lima; having been called here last week on account of the illness of their little granddaughter, Thelma Wehrman. The latter is improving.—St. Marys Leader.

Mrs. Samuel DeTurk, Jr., and daughter, Elizabeth, have gone to Oil City, Pa., for a visit with relatives.

The recitation of beautiful music on Easter day will reach a climax in the rendition of Protheroe's "Song of Hope" Sunday evening by the choir of the First Baptist church, under the direction of the choirmaster, Mr. Richard A. Shappell and with the assistance of leading artists as soloists.

Mrs. Melly, regularly a member of the First Baptist choir, holds an enviable position among Lima musicians; Mr. Baird is director of the large chorus choir at Christ church, Episcopal, and Mr. Lehman, of Bluffton, who has a well cultivated voice, won over a large field in the Eisteddfod competition at Columbus on New Year's day. For the giving of this delightful cantata, Mr. Shappell has gathered about him some of the best talent procurable. The author of selection has sung in Lima and has adjudicated many of the Eisteddfods in this city and at other points near. He is a great favorite with Lima musicians and this has added more interest to the production of this music.

Easter morning, the choir of the First Baptist will render "Easter Morn" by Brewer, in which Mrs. Melvin Light and Mr. Lehmann will have the solo parts, and "Lift Your Glad Voices" by Berwald. At this service Mrs. Melly's children's chorus will sing a processional and a carol, making their debut to the worshippers of that church. They will sing at future services every Sunday morn. Forty voices make up the chorus, which will wear the best merits.

Miss Rae Heffner will be at the organ at both the morning and evening service. The following numbers make up the cantata for the evening music:

Chorus—"I Wait For the Lord," Choir.

Soprano Solo — "Out of the Depths," Mrs. J. R. Melly.

Chorus—"Righteous Art Thou," Choir.

Tenor Solo—"The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee," Mr. Ernest C. Baird.

Chorus—"I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes," Choir.

Baritone Solo—"Fear Not Ye, O Israel," Mr. G. A. Lehmann.

Duet, soprano and tenor—"I Have Longed for Thy Salvation," Mrs. Melly and Mr. Baird.

Chorus—"O, That Men Would Praise the Lord," Choir.

AN EASTER THOUGHT.

Chicago, March 22.—"Learn to laugh" is the slogan that has been spread through the ranks of the employes of one of the big western railroads. A statement issued yesterday to all employes in what is termed a "cheerfulness" campaign says:

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Worried Hero.

A critic of Wells' novel, "Marriage," finds in the confounding of the hero "the desire to have it all ways; to possess a woman who shall have all the charm and the caprice of the eternal feminine; who shall, by the grossness of her desires and the pettiness of conversation, give him an agreeable sense of superiority, and yet shall, to order, acquire deep spiritual insight when her husband feels he needs it."

Wife of the New Secretary of Interior

Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, wife of the new secretary of the interior, is well known in Washington social circles. Before her marriage to Mr. Lane, in 1893, she was Miss Anne Wintermutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wintermutt, of Elmira, N. Y. Mrs. Lane is very fond of social gayeties, and usually has invitations which occupy almost every house of each day.

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JEWISH HALF HOLIDAY CELEBRATED TOMORROW

Purim, Feast of Lots, Falls This Year on March Twenty-third.

DAY TO BE OBSERVED BY LOCAL HEBREWS

Benefit Performance, Matinee and Night, Given at Lyric Theatre.

Purim, the Feast of Lots, a half-holiday in the Jewish calendar, will be celebrated in Lima this year on Sunday, March 23rd The synagogal service for this festival is limited to the reading of the Book of Esther, upon the story of which the celebration is based

Purim celebrates the victory of Mordecai the faithful Jew, over Haman the grand vizier of the King Ahasuerus, who plotted to destroy the Jew Queen Esther, it will be remembered, had been elevated to the throne to succeed Vashti who had displeased the king Esther was a most beautiful and virtuous maiden, and it was through her intervention with the king that the heroism of Mordecai and the villany of Haman was disclosed to him

The story of the book of Esther reads like a novel, and may or may not have real historical value Purim means "lots" and the festival is so called because the day on which the destruction of the Jews was decreed, was chosen by lots.

Purim is a time of general festivity among the Jews, and like most festivals of the Jewish calendar, it is a time for the giving of gifts to the poor.

Benefit Performance.

At the Lyric theatre Sunday afternoon and evening the Lima Jewish Sabbath school will give a performance, the proceeds of which will be used to increase the building fund of the beautiful new Jewish synagogue soon to be erected in this city

The following excellent program will be given

Selection by the Orchestra
Sunday School Song
Recitation . . . . Isadore Eppstein
Song . . . . . Elizabeth Bloom
Song . . . . . Ethel Minsky
Song . . . . . Sadie Greenberg
Song, "Johnny Rankin"—Juvenile Class—Vera Brand, Bernice Rosenbaum, Esther Sontag, Robert Michael, Arthur Rosichan, Isadore Greenberg
Violin Solo . . William Rosichan
Song . . . . . Sophia Bloom
Song . . . . . Sontag Sisters
Song . . . . . Rosie Rosenbloom
Song . . . . . Samuel Lavine
Song, "Sunbonnet Sue" Leona Bernstein Hilda Levy Ethel Minsky Bella Sontag, Dorothy Frankel Sadie Greenberg Ida Sontag, Elizabeth Bloom.
Song . . . . . Gussie Weinfeld
Song . . . . . Hilda Levy
Duet Leona and Clarence Bernstein
Song . . . . . Dorothy Frankel

Jimmie Valentine.

Jimmie Valentine (Hanna Levy), Bernice Rosenbaum, Sophie Bloom, Esther Sontag, Robert Michael, Edgar Levy, Isadore Greenberg, Arthur Rosichan.
Song . . . . . Carrie Grossman

Boys' Minstrel

Isadore Eppstein, Arthur Wohlgemuth Jerome Grossman, Albert Bernstein, Louie Lavine

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Elmer McClain, one of Lima's promising young attorneys will address the men's mass meeting at the Y. M. C A auditorium Sunday afternoon. Mr McClain is a speaker of recognized ability who will no doubt be listened to by a large audience. Mr. and Mrs. Conner will furnish some special numbers in the rendition of the musical program.

International Bible Students' Association.

Jackson Hall.

Berean Bible study at 2 30 p m Sunday March 23rd Public discourse by Squire I P Martin in Memorial hall at 7 30 o'clock Topic "The Second Coming of Christ" A cordial invitation is extended to all

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CITY TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The Lima City Teachers' Examination will be held in the assembly room of the high school building on Saturday, April 5th, 1913, beginning promptly at 7 30 a m and closing at 5 p m

JOHN DAVISON,
Clerk of Board of Examiners
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Denmark Determines to be Factor in San Francisco Fair.

Copenhagen, March 22 —The sentiment of nationalism is growing in Denmark by leaps and bounds, and a notable result is the collection of a huge public fund for the defense of the country Repeated demands on the government for additional fortifications have met with little response, and private interests have now determined to take up the work.

The subscription is headed by the King and Queen, and other members of the royal family have contributed generously The money is now pouring in from all sources, schools, business houses and offices contributing freely Several artists have donated their paintings to be sold for the fund

The present unrest in Europe is largely responsible for the interest in this remarkable measure of national defense The Danish people feel that in the case of a war between any of the great powers, their country would be crushed unless they are in a position to enforce armed neutrality.

Denmark Interested.

No nation in Europe is taking more interest in the opening of the Panama canal than Denmark

The East Asiatic company is making arrangements to run a direct line of steamships from Copenhagen to the Golden Gate via the canal, and Denmark expects that the new waterway will place the fruits and wines of the Pacific coast within reach of her purse, as well as provide a market for her products

The visit to Copenhagen of the commissioners of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition aroused great local interest, and Denmark is determined to be adequately represented at the San Francisco fair. This feeling of neighborliness with the United States was increased by the recent gift of Rabbild Park to Denmark by a large group of Danish-Americans Many Danish merchants have returned recently from tours of the United States, where they went to get into touch with the latest business methods, and the closeness with which American political and financial conditions are studied is indicated by a number of new Danish laws modeled on those of the United States.

Trade Winds Fair.

Edward W. Winslow, the American consul-general here, declares that American trade with the Scandinavian countries during the past year established a high water mark.

America is learning rapidly that Copenhagen occupies for Scandinavia the same place London does for the rest of Europe, and as a clearing house, that the Danish metropolis acts as a barometer of trade between the United States and the northern countries of Europe. American merchants find the free harbor of Copenhagen an excellent distributing point It is interesting to note, says, Mr Winslow, that there is no prejudice against American goods; on the contrary, they are preferred. Denmark is now buying from the United States in large amounts corn, machinery, oils, boots and shoes, cotton garments, flour, canned fruits, apples and ready made clothing, and she is sending in return garden seeds, sugar beet seeds, raw hides, cordials, flint pebbles, dried fish, Icelandic wool, and beer During the past year the Danish exports to the United States have increased by $1,000,000

The tourist trade is also growing Hardly a family in Denmark is without relatives in America, and consequently Americans are made very welcome. The Consul general declares that not only the cordial welcome extended to American tourists is making Denmark popular but also the fact that everywhere in the country they find their own tongue spoken

Constant Many Years.

The yacht Constance, said to be the oldest ship on the world in active service, has just been sold to a fisherman of Skaw, up in Jutland, who will use the ancient craft in his trade The Constance was built in 1720, one hundred and ninety-three years ago, and in her long life she has sailed into almost every port in the world Her timbers are still staunch, and her new owner declares he can see no reason why she should not sail the seas for a century to come.

It Will Do Him Good.

There is good reason to believe that Price Erick, cousin of King George of England and King Christian of Denmark, will complete his farming education by a tour of the agricultural districts of the United States. For several years the Prince has been at work on his farm on Fionia Island with intervals spent at agricultural colleges Next summer he will go to England to study agricultural conditions there, and afterwards he will sail for America

If this young Prince considers that he should go to the United States to learn agriculture, it is also apparent that the American authorities are convinced that Danish agricultural institutions have much to commend them, for only last week a special government commission arrived here from Washington, and has already started to study the rural schools, agricultural schools and co-operative agricultural societies of Denmark The members of the commission are H W Foght, Bureau of Education, Department of the Interior; L. L Friend, State Supervisor of high schools of West Virginia, and W. H Smith, Rural School Inspector of Mississippi

The commission will remain for three months in Denmark, and on its return make a report on the facilities for agricultural education in a country where the science has been developed more extensively than in any other country in the world Just at present the American visitors are investigating the highly successful small landholders' school at Ringsted.

Maurice Denies It.

The American Minister to Denmark, Maurice Egan, has given denial to the persistent rumors that the Danish government has approached him with a proposition for the purchase from the United States of the island of Mindanao, in the Philippines He does not deny that certain prominent Danes have proposed that Denmark should exchange Greenland for Mindanao, with the privilege of trading the latter to Germany for Slesvig, but he does deny that such a proposition was made to him by the German government.

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More bachelors than married men go insane, according to a report submitted to the secretary of the interior Many married men have their thinking done for them, and consequently, do not have so great a strain on their think factory.—Nashville Tennessean.

MASONIC NOTICE.

A stated communication of Garrett Wykoff Lodge, No 595, F & A M, will be held Monday, March 24, 1913, at 7 30 p m

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One Distinct Drawback

Chinese history tells us that the Sung dynasty 1000 A D, brought the language to a point where it was "an effective instrument for expressing the national mind" Unfortuantely it loses its effect when only a very few people in a nation of 450 000 000 can understand what "the national mind" has to express

Laugh and Grow Fat.

Democritus, who was always laughing, lived one hundred and nine years; Heraclitus, who never ceased crying, only sixty. Laughing, then, is best, and to laugh at another is perfectly justifiable, since we are told that the gods themselves, though they made us as they pleased, cannot help laughing at us

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The Descent from the Cross

An Easter Poem by JAMES A. EDGERTON

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ACROSS the ages shines the piteous scene
That stirs the sorrow of humanity,
Caught and reflected on the canvas screen
By Art, which is the glass of History.
But, lo, the grief is stilled! for once again
This form divine, deprived of mortal breath,
Shall rise resplendent and proclaim to men
The triumph over death.

ARTEMESIA'S EASTER.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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SPRING was everywhere except in the heart of Artemesia Lee In her sunny garden crocuses and daffodils were pushing ...en blades through the brown earth ...e air was softer, the waters of the ...r had lost the cold steely gray and ...owed the color of a bluebird's wing.

...EMS GOOD TO HEAR IT AGAIN," SIGHED ARTEMESIA.

...l the bluebird himself was singing ...ong the swelling buds of the cherry ...e

...rtemesia looked drearily across the ... It all seemed bleak and cold to ...typical of her life

...Well, Artemesia Lee, don't it seem ...d to smell the springtime a-comin' ...ng?" demanded a cheery voice ...w ...d the fence

...rtemesia turned and surveyed the dumpy figure and rosy cheeks of her nearest neighbor, Hanna Ford

"I s'pose some folks can enjoy the springtime, but it always seems so sort of lonesome," she murmured

"It's because you live all alone and keep your shutters closed tight" Mrs Ford laughed mirthfully "If you'd open the shutters of your heart and your house, Artemesia you'd let the sunshine in, and then you'd be happy'

"Pshaw!" murmured Artemesia, half resentfully "Opening my shutters won't make me young again"

'Of course it will! Why, don't you understand Artie, that's what Easter means in one sense? We sort of rise up out of our old selves—just as if our old selves were dead you know—and each year we can begin life new and young in heart."

"I want to know!" ejaculated Artemesia in a startled tone. Her religion had been of a cold, dreary outlook on life, and this creed that Hanna was preaching was new to her, but it sounded inviting

Hanna was still speaking

"If you could forget yourself for one day, Artemesia, you would be happier. There, there, don't get stiff As if I didn't know that you stayed single to please your pa and ma, and everybody knows how you sacrificed and slaved for them till they died, and now you're alone you've got to thinking and thinking till you've grown hard hearted and resentful and— Mercy me, is that the oil man? I must run, for Josephine's that feather brained she won't think to"— And Mrs Ford's words were lost as she trotted down the road toward her own gate

Artemesia stood there, paling and flushing by turns. Hanna's words had been a shock to her It was true that Artemesia had remained single for her parents' sake. There was no one to look out for the old people, and her lover wanted to carry his bride to the new home which he had prepared in the west.

Jack Young—that was his name—was Hanna Ford's brother, and through Hanna she had heard scant news of him during the past twenty years

A sudden rare smile curved Artemesia's faded lips, and she looked almost pretty "Opening the shutter sounds inviting," she thought as she moved toward the house. "I do believe I'll try it!"

First the lower floor blinked in the unaccustomed flood of sunshine.

Artemesia hardly knew the rooms, so accustomed had she become to their peculiar half light. The gloomy old parlor became a cheerful apartment, and when Artemesia saw dust on the ancient square piano she flew vigorously around and banished it

Upstairs the sunshine and fresh air revealed a new house to Artemesia.

"I declare, I believe I can smell spring now! It's the first time I could since"— She stopped, and a cloud came over her face

It had ceased to be spring that day when Jack Young went away without her.

"It's wicked to keep shutters closed tight I can't do it again," she breathed suddenly, and another line disappeared from her forehead

After that day Artemesia Lee kept the shutters of her house wide open.

Passersby saw it and marveled and said that Artemesia Lee was getting some sense after all Hanna Ford noticed it, too, and a queer little smile curled the corners of her pleasant mouth.

One day Josephine Ford ventured into Artemesia's parlor and played popular tunes upon the tinkling piano

"Seems good to hear it once more," sighed Artemesia, who had not played for many years

"Why don't you play some Artemesia?" asked pretty Josephine "Ma says you used to be a grand player."

Artemesia flushed prettily "I believe I will have the piano tuned and practice' she said and a new pleasure came back into her life.

"Next Sunday's Easter and I haven't got a new thing to wear," half panted Josephine swinging around on the piano stool "Pa says he can't afford a thing this year, but I would like a new hat and a pair of gloves"

"Let me see Josie' mused Artemesia. "I think I've got some lovely lace braid in the garret and by getting a frame down at Dolan's I believe we can make you a hat, and I've got feathers and flowers"

Josephine hugged her delightedly, and together they set off to choose a hat frame Artemesia forgot her own troubles and the latent discontent that had gnawed at her life

She grew merry over the secrecy of the shopping for this was to be a surprise to Josephine's mother

Artemesia presented Josephine with a pair of new gloves and the young girl's delight was very sweet to the older woman Artemesia Lee forgot herself while she sewed on the new hat which turned out so successful that she made one for herself, a shady brown affair that matched her soft eyes

The days before Easter were crowded with sunshine and happiness for

HIS HAND CLASPED TIGHTLY OVER HERS AS THEY HELD THE HYMN BOOK.

Artemesia She threw open the shutters of her heart and let the sunshine of a new spring wake it into new life

Flowers from her plants and spring blossoms from her garden went to carry the new message of awakened life to the sick and needy Each day she grew younger prettier, happier.

"Oh, Hanna," she said on Easter morning, "it is true that one can be born over again! I am so happy Is it wrong to apply the story of resurrection that way?" she ended timidly

Hanna shook her head vigorously. "It's not wrong, of course! Religion means more than just words and creeds Artemesia. Every symbol means a whole lot of things!"

"I'm glad of that,' murmured Artemesia "I feel born over again in every way"

There was a very sweet smile on Hanna's face, just as if she knew some secret that would add still more to the beauty of the Eastertide

"It means beginning over again—in lots of ways," she managed to whisper in Artemesia's ear as they entered the church

When they reached Hanna's pew two men arose to let them pass One was Timothy Ford, and the other one was—Jack Young, bigger, older, browner, stouter, but with the same smile and the same dizzy look when his eyes met Artemesia's Side by side they stood, and his hand clasped tightly over hers as they held the hymn book together.

Josephine in her pretty finery stared wonderingly at Artemesia's glorified face

"Ma" she whispered, "is Uncle Jack going to marry Artemesia?"

Mrs Ford nodded vigorously.

"If Artie will have him and I guess she will for her heart shutters are open to stay!"

EASTER EGGS ORIGINATED IN A QUEEN'S COURTSHIP

By MINERVA SPENCER HANDY

WHEN Marguerite of Austria was in her youth and beauty she made a pilgrimage to the south of France to visit the shrine of her favorite saint. Some say it was to pray for a young and handsome husband. If so, her patron saint kindly granted the prayer in advance of the petition On her way she stopped to rest for a few days at Bourg, a village on the edge of a deep forest and at the foot of the majestic Alps

On Easter Monday the people for miles around met to engage in the customary Easter games. The young regent of the Netherlands from her place beside the chatelaine of the castle enjoyed the scene hugely It was very interesting to watch the older men shooting at targets and casks of wine, the winner being allowed to put his lips to the cask and drink his fill But when the young couples began to gather for the most exciting event of the day then the princess grew enthusiastic, for, you remember, she was young and fair, and even queens dream dreams of handsome, loving partners

The moment arrived for the contest One hundred eggs were scattered over the ground A young man and a maiden began the figure While the onlookers laughed it was a serious affair for the dancers The couple that could skip over the eggs glide between them, twirl about them in all the varied gymnations of the dance, without breaking or cracking an egg might marry each other in spite of the opposition of their parents Each couple was allowed three trials, and, the dance being successfully concluded, none dared oppose the union

While the merrymaking was at its height the sound of a hunter's horn rang through the forest Soon appeared a company of horsemen in such brilliant uniforms that the simple peasants stopped in their dance to gaze and wonder whom they might be At their head rode a beautiful youth, dressed as only the nobles of the time dared dress He sprang from his horse bent a graceful knee to the chatelaine of the castle and requested her hospitality Of course the hostess granted it at once, for this was Philibert the handsome Duke of Savoy

The dance which the coming of the duke had interrupted was now resumed with greater merriment than ever After watching the dancers Marguerite in jest said, "I would that I were one of those simple peasants and might try the dance"

Philibert bowed low before the fair regent and said "Madame, will you permit me to be your partner in the dance that is going on before us?"

This was equivalent to an offer of marriage, and hearing it, the crowd became wild with enthusiasm Cries of "Austria" and "Savoy!" rang through the air and cheer followed cheer Marguerite graciously acquiesced, and the handsome pair took their place in the dance A serious task was before them They must dance around and around eggs between eggs, without breaking any But members of the royal families were accustomed to the dance The feet of the royal lady were as light as thistle down while those of the handsome knight were graceful in the extreme When the dance ended not a single egg had been touched.

Love in those days was not long in kindling When the duke gazed into the sparkling eyes and upon the glowing cheek of his partner in the egg dance he knew that the custom of the country wasn't going to be broken And so it proved

One year from the day the two were married. Their guests were given souvenirs of gold and silver eggs filled with spices which they called Easter eggs. This custom was continued on each anniversary in memory of that happy day in the forest when with beating hearts they together tripped the measures of the egg dance.

EASTER, DAY OF UNIVERSAL JOY.

This is the day, my brethren, of universal joy throughout the Christian world We no longer behold our altars covered with badges of mourning to commemorate the passion, crucifixion and death of our Saviour They are decked in gleaming white to celebrate his glorious resurrection No longer does the "Stabat Mater" or the Miserere" or the "Lamentations," those plaintive notes of the church, resound in our temples The "Gloria In Excelsis," with frequent alleluias, greets our ears once more No more do penitent multitudes strike their breasts in anguish of heart and follow their suffering Redeemer as he bears his cross to Calvary, but in spirit we see Mary Magdalene and the other Marys, with the apostles, hastening with joyful and eager steps to the tomb from which their Lord had risen —Cardinal Gibbons

Ribbon Flowers For Easter.

The Easter girl will wear a tiny bunch of posies very much on the order of a man's boutonniere pinned on the lapel of her coat. These flowers will be made of ribbon.

HOT + BUNS

Here is a tested recipe for the hot cross buns for Easter

To one cupful of scalded milk add one-fourth cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of butter and one-half teaspoonful of salt When it is cooled enough not to hurt the yeast cake—that is, about lukewarm—add one-half of a yeast cake dissolved in one-fourth cupful of lukewarm water. Also add three-fourths of a teaspoonful of cinnamon and three cupfuls of flour and one egg well beaten

Mix these well before adding a half cupful of raisins and currants mixed The raisins should be cut up and stoned, of course Let it rise carefully covered like any buns or rolls overnight if for breakfast. In the morning shape the buns like large biscuits, leaving a space of an inch for them to spread, and let them rise well

Brush them over with beaten egg and bake about twenty minutes. When cool make a frosting into the form of a cross on the top of each or else cut a cross in each just before baking and scatter sugar on when serving them A glaze of milk and melted butter can also be used wiped over with a bit of soft cotton cloth when they are just ready to take from the oven

FACTS ABOUT EASTER.

Many Customs Are Ancient and Come From the East.

The custom of putting on new clothes for Easter is very ancient and is common to the great festivals of all religions. On the central feast of the Moslem year it is considered absolutely necessary for every man and woman to wear new clothes

The "Easter dress" and the "Easter hat" of modern times, so widely advertised by our city merchants are therefore not in any way an incongruity, but emphasize the spirit of the day quite as much as the "Easter egg" which is supposed to typify the germ of a resurrection of life

So that as all nature is renewed and regarmented in the spring it is fitting that mankind should follow Unable to renew the body, man does the next best thing and donn new garb

The name Easter, according to the Venerable Bede is heathen in its origin so called after the Saxon goddess Eastre who was worshiped with peculiar ceremonies in the month of April In the eastern church it is called Pascha or the holy Pasch which will be observed in the Russian and Greek churches this year on April 14 the Jewish passover falling on April 22

In the second century there was a great dispute between the Asiatic and Latin churches regarding the proper date for the celebration of the resurrection of Christ. As far as the Latin church was concerned it was settled once and for all at the council of Nicaea in the year 324 The fact that the ancient British church when Augustine landed, observed Easter according to the Eastern custom is urged as a reason for believing that Great Britain received her Christianity from the east and not from the west, from St John rather than from St. Peter, from Antioch and not from Rome

The early Christian emperors celebrated the day by setting prisoners free and by scattering gifts It was "Dominica Gaudi"—the day of joy for all people The popular Easter hymns are from Latin sources "Welcome, Happy Morn. Age to Age Shall Say,' was written by Fortunatus for the Easter worship of the abbey of St Croix "He Is Risen" is an old Ambrosian hymn which has been sung in the Milan cathedral for many centuries "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" is of unknown origin, although probably from a Latin source It appeared first in English in the collection by Tate and Brady As in the case of Christmas we are indebted to Charles Wesley for a good Easter hymn, the one beginning "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Life Reigns Supreme

...by A. Matson Dobson...

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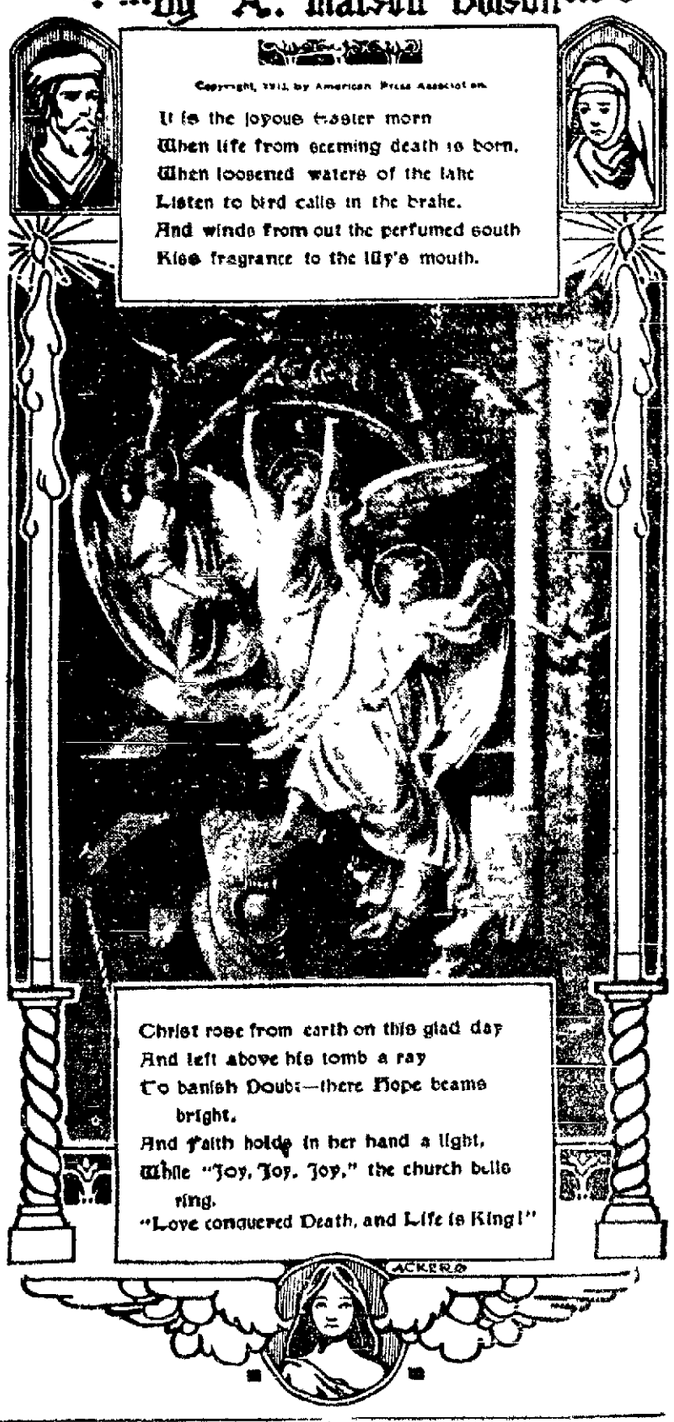

NOVEL EASTER FAVORS.

Rabbits and Chickens Easily Made Out of Peanuts.

Do you want to make peanut rabbits or chicks for Easter greetings? If so it is very easily done

For the rabbits ears and tail use little pointed bits of paper, which can be glued on Sometimes you will find the rabbit already has a tail and you will not need to supply one The rabbit will stand up very easily after you have given him his feet, because there are four of them The feet and the eyes are made from matches or tooth picks

The little chicks need only feet and eyes, but as they have only two feet they will not stand as easily as the rabbits To make them stand easily take a piece of a visiting card an inch or less square and when you give the chick his feet push them up first through the card This will give him a firm foundation to stand upon, and you can either send him this way or, if you wish you can paste this piece of card to a larger piece or to the bottom of the box you send him in If you are careful you can put him inside of an eggshell

RESURRECTION EMBLEMS.

Egg, Chrysalis and Kernels of Grain Used as Symbols

With the egg and the chrysalis all are familiar, but in olden times kernels of grain were also used In England a tiny cross together with grains of barley and wheat has been found in the center block of oaken mantelpieces The custom had long been forgotten when it was recalled by the discovery of three such emblems in the mantel of the room in which Shakespeare was born

The house was being restored, and one of the commissioners in charge took a block of the old wood for a souvenir He gave it to a friend a Shakespearean scholar, who, wishing to share it with another, tried to split it and found it hollow It contained a cross, three grains of barley and a piece of tow To his honor, be it said, he restored the relic to the house at Stratford on Avon, where it is now on exhibition

A great sculptor once said of the three processes used in making a statue "The clay is this life the plaster is death but the marble is the glorious resurrection"

Here's the Easter Rabbit—and the Eggs!

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WAGS—THE DOG THAT ADOPTED A MAN

TWO DIVORCES ARE GRANTED

One Husband and One Wife Who Asked for Legal Freedom

GRANTED REQUEST BY JUDGE KLINGER

Clark-Heath-Barber Case is Set for Hearing on March 26th.

Two divorce cases were heard today in the common pleas court by Judge William Klinger, and in each instance the petition was granted and the decree of divorce ordered. The first case was that of Rosetta O'Brien against her husband, Patrick O'Brien. The second was that of John Kortier against Mary Hazel Kortier.

A motion for temporary allmony in the matter of the Wallace divorce case, there was no decision given, the court holding the matter under advisement.

In the case of W. H. Clark against J. L. Heath and M. A. Barebr, a preliminary demurrer was heard by Judge Klinger, and the case was set for hearing on the 26th of March.

A motion for a new trial that was made this morning in the case of Peter Burkholder against Jesse Stratton and John Stratton was overruled by Judge Klinger. In the trial of the matter a verdict was returned for the plaintiff. This judgment was upheld by the court this morning.

Charging that his wife, the defendant in a suit filed today, with willful absence for a time greater than three years, James Stumbaugh asks the court to annul the bonds of matrimony, and legally separate him from the defendant. He filed his petition this morning in the clerk's office through his attorney, J. H. Hamilton. The petition states that the couple were married in Greenville, Ohio, on the April 21, 1898, and that there have been no children born to the union.

Cupid Overworked.

Today has been cupid's day at the court house. The business of issuing licenses began with a rush this morning, and has continued hot and heavy ever since. Up until the press time of this paper there had been ten licenses issued by the smiling license clerk. This is the greatest number issued in one day during the present year, and exceeds any for some time even previous to that. Whether it was the Easter spirit, or the real beginning of spring according to the equinox that brought the blushing brides and nervous grooms has not been decided. They were there, nevertheless.

Virgil Hoyt Lauck, 20, florist, Allen county, and Grace Marie [illegible], Lima, and Gertrude C. East, 18, Allen county.

Otho C. Brumm, 21, school teacher, Jay county, Ind., and Lulu C. Miller, 19, Spencerville.

Anson H. Longworth, 26, farmer, Grover Hill, Ohio, and Eva L. Baldwin, 20, domestic, Lima.

Levi E. Laman, 21, farmer, Elida, and Grace Kennedy, 18, domestic, Allentown.

VORTKAMP'S ADVERTISEMENT IN OUR FRIDAY'S EDITION SHOULD HAVE READ POSITIVELY CLOSES MARCH 29 INSTEAD OF MARCH 22.

JOBS FOR PATRIOTS NOT SO NUMEROUS AS MANY APPLICANTS.

Columbus, O., March 22.—"I cannot say that anything has been decided upon or ascertained except that there are several hundred citizens here who are willing to serve their country in various capacities. I am really surprised."

This statement by United States Senator Atlee Pomerene was the only reply made by the senator today when he emerged for a moment from his ro owhich was besieged all day with sekers after appointments under the new democratic administration at Washington.

Senator Pomerene arrived in Columbus last night from Canton. The senator, since his arrival in the state capital, has had brief conferences with Governor Cox and other democratic leaders in the state and it is presumed that the distribution of the most important federal patronage in Ohio has been discussed.

Neither Senator Pomerene nor any of the state leaders, however, would give out any authentic information.

GIRL STRIKERS WEAKEN.

East Liverpool, O., March 22.—Girl strikers employed by potteries here today accepted a proposition to return to work Monday pending arbitration of the difficulty. The girls will receive $1.25 a day until the arbitrators reach a decision.

The girls struck for $1.50 a day. The decisionthe arbitrators reach a The decision of the arbitration committee will be accepted by the strikers.

BLACK HANDS VISIT DANIELS.

Navy Secretary Recognizes $10,000 Demand as Sons' Joke.

When Josephus Daniels, secretary of the navy, got back to his department from a cabinet meeting recently, his aid, Lieutenant Commander Lee Palmer, saluted him and said, "Mr. Secretary, I have the honor to report, sir, that you have been threatened by the Black Hand."

There on the secretary's big desk was a sheet of paper on which the sign of the Black Handers had been drawn, and scrawled beneath it were the words, "Put $10,000 on the ole stump or beware of the Black Hand."

Mr. Daniels smiled. "Have Worth and Frank been here?" he asked.

They had. Worth and Frank are the young sons of the secretary. Worth was named for his uncle, Ensign Worth Bagley, Jr., the only line officer of the navy killed in action in the war with Spain.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

NAME OF BALLINGER ERASED FROM BOOKS OF LAND SHARK FIRM

Chicago, March 22.—Testimony that the books of Albert C. Frost and Company had been changed while they were in the hands of a receiver, today halted the trial against Mr. Frost and his four associates charged with Alaskan land frauds, and directed the inquiry into other channels. In the words of Judge Landis before whom the trial is being conducted, "the question of the United States against Mr. Frost and the other defendants is a small offense with the charge just made."

When A. C. Frost and Company failed three years ago George Seward, one of the defendants in the land fraud charges, was appointed receiver and the books were turned over to him.

A. C. Frost and Company, a corporation, is distinct from Mr. Frost's interests in the Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Railway and the Alaskan Central railroad.

On examination by D. B. Townsend, special assistant attorney general, W. F. Wandtke, bookkeeper for Frost, testified that since the books had been turned over to Mr. Seward as receiver certain names had been erased.

Among the names which had been erased, was that of Richard A. Ballinger, former United States land commissioner and secretary of the interior.

Judge Landis questioned the witness himself.

"At whose direction did you erase the name of Mr. Ballinger?" asked the judge.

"At the request of Mr. Seward and Mr. Frost."

Judge Landis ordered the bailiff to summon several United States deputy marshals entered.

"Go to Mr. Frost's office," said the judge, "and seek out and bring into court every book of Mr. Frost's that is supposed to be in the hands of a receiver."

Attorneys for the defense objected to the proceding.

"Your honor has no right to give such an order," protested Amos R. Marston.

"Go get the books; what are you waiting for?" ordered Judge Landis interrupting further remarks of Mr. Martson.

The books it was stated would be brought into court late today.

Doctors Indorce Newbro's Herpicide for the Hair

When a doctor endorses a preparation it means more than an ordinary testimonial. His opinion is always that of the professional man devoted to the welfare of the people.

Dr. J. J. Boyd, Covington, Tenn., says: "I feel it my duty to write this for the benefit of those suffering from dandruff. In the average case a few applications of Newbro's Herpicide will remove all dandruff. It is advisable to continue its use for several weeks."

The words of J. B. Thompson, M. D., No. 2 Burrough Place, Cor. Hollis St., Boston, Mass., are not less enthusiastic: "I can only speak in praise of Newbro's Herpicide. It is all that is claimed and perhaps more Herpicide not only cleanses the scalp but brightens the hair, gives it life and makes it soft."

Dr. T. A. Moore, Duncan, Ariz. writes of his experience: "My scalp was in places covered by patches of dry, scaly material and the itching was incessant. Since using Herpicide all these ills have disappeared and my hair is soft, smooth and growing. Hair has grown on spots before but this covered."

Newbro's Herpicide is "the original remedy to kill the dandruff germ and stop falling hair." The terrible itching which goes with dandruff is allayed almost at once."

Newbro's Herpicide in 50c and $1 sizes is sold by all dealers who guarantee it to do all that is claimed. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded.

Applications may be obtained at the leading barber shops. Be sure you get genuine Herpicide. Send 10c in postage for sample and book to the Herpicide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.

LET ENGLAND DO IT.

Washington, March 22.—The United States probably will not patrol the North Atlantic steamship lane for icebergs in view of the action of the British Board of Trade and British steamship interests in sending the whaler Scotia for the patrol.

The New York Maritime Exchange strongly urged the treasury department to assign revenue cutters to the work, but Secretary McAdoo thinks the British action sufficient.

BOTH LEGS CUT OFF.

Columbus, O., March 22.—Emmett Gurk, aged 27, was thrown under a Pennsylvania freight train at Bellwood, a nearby station, while attempting to alight, and both his legs were cut off. He was taken to Protestant hospital in this city in a dying condition. His place of residence is unknown.

Reciprocity.

Meet the good there is in others with the best there is in yourself.

THINKS MEN SHOULD LIVE TO AGE OF 100.

Boston Professor Attacks Biblical Belief as to Longevity.

Dr. Frank Ellsworth Allard, professor of physical economics at the Boston university medical school, believes that 100 years should be the average life of a man. "The old Biblical passage anent the life of man being threescore years and ten is put into our head at Sunday school," said Dr. Allard, "and we later accept it as a matter of course. It is unfortunate that we have the limit of life in mind. We ought to live to be 100. All disease is a process of distintegration.

"I believe that every disease of every name and nature begins primarily in the breaking of some of nature's laws. I believe that the body may be so trained that it becomes a perfect servant of the will. The keeping of nature's laws is the most perfect form of morality.

"The old line practitioner is bound to pass. The family doctor as we know him today is doomed to extinction. His place will be taken by the physician who will fulfill the real meaning of the word, which is 'teacher.'"

TEMPLE FOR SPIRITUALISTS.

To Build $250,000 Structure For Study of Ghosts.

Announcement was made recently at the New York Temple of Modern Spiritualism by the Rev. Dr. Richard R. Schleusner, pastor, that a site has been decided on in Central Park West for a new temple.

The edifice is to become the headquarters for New York spiritualists and in some measure for the whole country. It is to cost $250,000, including the site, and more than $50,000 has been subscribed.

So great has been the growth of spiritualism in New York within the last two years, said the Rev. Dr. Schleusner, that no doubt is felt about the ability to secure the rest of the sum needed.

It was stated that there are about 12,000 spiritualists in New York and 150,000 in the whole country.

TO BUILD UNIQUE RESIDENCE.

Arkansas Man Gets All Material From Site of Structure.

J. F. Whitlock is going to have, when completed, a unique home in the state of Arkansas. Mr. Whitlock owns about 160 acres of land three miles north of Benton, on which is found every particle of material that will be used for building purposes, besides containing vast deposits of beauxite.

Every brick and concrete block will be made on the place from the raw material; the glass will be manufactured from his own pit; the wood will be sawed from the timber on the place, and practically nothing will be used except the hardware necessary in building that does not come directly from the ground that he owns. The residence will be up to date in every particular.

They Generally Succeed.

People who expect to have their feelings hurt are seldom disappointed.

OWING TO PUBLIC DEMAND
We have decided to continue this sale one more week

This Sale will positively close Saturday, March 29 at 9 p. m.

$5.00 Solid Gold-Filled Glasses for $1.00

10 Karat Solid Gold Filled Spectacles or Eyeglasses Your Choice—With or Without Rims—Fitted to Your Eyes. Warranted to Wear 10 Years.

Special! Special! Special!

FOR MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

NOTE—300 Gold Eye Glass Chains, hook or hair pin, to be given away with each purchase of a pair of eye glasses. Only one to a customer.

NOTICE.

Our 1913 Finger Nose Piece Mountings Adjusted to Your Lenses, $1.50.

We have the same specialist in charge. He has fitted thousands of people in Lima. He makes this special offer every six months and will exchange your glasses free of charge if not satisfactory.

All Special Ground Bi-Focal and Compound Lenses at Lowest Prices.

Hundreds of letters from people in the city and out of town that could not attend the sale so far, ask us to continue this sale; of course this means a sacrifice of most of the profits, but we don't know of a better way to advertise our Optical Department, to the public.

No other sale of this kind ever held in Lima has met with such a great succes sas this one.

Vortkamp's Special Sale has been a boon to the wage-workers, doctors, merchants, lawyers and bankers, for all alike have taken advantage of our wonderful offer of $3.50 and $5.. Gold Glasses for $1.00, fitted to the eye by reputable eyesight specialists.

4,000 PEOPLE HAVE BEEN FITTED AND HAVE FOUND THEIR GLASSES JUST AS REPRESENTED.

Occulists' Prescriptions for Ground Glasses Accurately Filled—Lowest Prices for Special Ground Lenses.

VORTKAMP'S DRUG STORE
Cor. Main and North

Diplomatic Youth.

Seven-year-old Bobbie brought his first report home from school, and it was bad. His mother scolded him, but he bore up bravely, and at the end of the maternal lecture he said by way of encouragement: "After all, ma, the greatest thing in life is health."

Unkindly Suggestive.

A lady of advanced age required the services of a page-boy, and advertised: "Youth wanted." One of her dearest friends sent her by the next post a bottle of Blank's celebrated wrinkle filler and skin-tightener, a pot of fairy bloom, a set of false teeth, a flaxen wig, and a cake of iodine soap.

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MRS. OLINGER PASSED AWAY

eath Called Today at St. John's Avenue Home.

GED WOMAN IN HER EVENTY-THIRD YEAR

meral Services Are Not Completed Up to This Writing.

At the call of the angel of death life of Jane Olinger was brought close at an early hour this rning. A long and most useful er is closed, and from the realm the living another most beloved rit has been taken home. Death rred at about 5 o'clock after a newhat extended illness at the home at 963 St. Johns avenue. ane Olinger, the wife of Isaiah nger, was born in Berkley county, st Virginia, on the 19th of May, 9, being at the time of death morning ten months more than years of age. For the past some s she has been suffering with a plication of troubles that in the brought about her death this rning. These troubles were aggated by the general debilities ch were only naturally resultant n her old age.

cit to mourn the demise are the hand, and the following rela- : Mrs. Kate Carter, of Lima; E. D. Walters, Lima; Hattie der, of Oklahoma; Minnie Em- , of Mt. Vernon, O.; James Olin- Lima; Jerry Olinger, Ft. me, and Charles and John Olin- of Toledo.

o funeral arrangements have made further than that the ices will be held at the South Church of Christ and that in ent will be made in the cem y at Sugar Creek.

RLS LOST AT PAULDING

al Sextette Defeated in Basket Ball Contest Last NiNght.

ME HARD-FOUGHT ROM FIRST WHISTLE

eat Here Earlier in Season Gave Paulding Added Ire.

aying one of the hardest games he season, but entirely under rse circumstances, the girls' of the Lima high school lost e team from the Paulding high ol on the latter team's floor yes- y evening. The playing was , and was made exceptionally ult by an interpretation of the that was entirely new to the girls. The home team was mined that they should have scalp as the defeat on the Lima was a severe blow to their s.

e Lima team last evening onto the floor with their reg- line-up, and with well built in- ons of winning their second . It seemed sure-fire business them from the start and de- well-directed fouls failed to ome the lead of their oppo- s. When the final whistle blew ending the end of the second the score stood 11 for the ding team, and but three for Lima girls.

e Lima team lined up with Graham and Florence Priest wards, Beatrice Thomson and Shannagle centers and Flor- Morrison and Helene Span- guards. Miss Graham scored of the points for Lima and Miss scored one.

REAMP'S ADVERTISE- T IN OUR FRIDAY'S EDITION ULD HAVE READ POSITIVE- CLOSES MARCH 29 INSTEAD MARCH 22.

ELOPER ARRESTED.

ington, O., March 22.—John old, of Cleveland, Ohio, caused here today of his wife and Shirley, of Mansfield, Ohio. charged with having eloped Tuesday.

the couple had been located detectives searched Skawold a revolver on him. A carrying concealed weapons against Skawold, and he locked up.

SOCIAL.

Mrs. C. K. Carnes and this city, are spending Sunday with Mr. Carnes' par- Maplewood, Ohio.

TOO MUCH POLITICS.

Wooster, O., March 22.—Judge Wooster, today over- tion for a new trial in ex-Prosecuting Attorney Frey, recently found guilty and battery on Sheriff shot, when the latter tried to him for contempt of court. prisoner was sentenced to pay a $200 and to serve 15 days in The jail sentence was suspend- Five other indictments against still stand.

Frey was known as the "radical prosecutor," gained through his fights against the led local political ring.

Effort to Recover Interest Due Ohio From Several Banks

(Continued From Page One.)

amination and found that "the vouchers in the state auditor's office balance perfectly with the state treasurer's books, and that a probe was not necessary."

And no time did the treasurer's books ever fail to balance with the auditor's vouchers, it is said. But evidence collected in the present probe show that during this period the large sums which appeared on the treasurer's books as being on deposit in the state vaults were largely on deposit in state banks.

The vote by which the legislative probe was killed was almost purely a party affair, 66 of the 67 members voting to sidetrack being republicans. State Treasurer Cameron was a republican.

Probers representing the prosecuting attorney and the attorney general's office today secretly examined one of the tellers employed by the Columbus Savings and Trust Company. They would give out no information concerning the examination.

INGRATITUDE PERSONIFIED

Reformed Convict Gives His Life in Effort to Do Good.

MEETS AN OLD PAL ON THIEVING BENT

Latter Shows Appreciation by Beating Benefactor to Death.

Chicago, March 22.—"Dick" Lane, familiarly known as "Dead Eye Dick," who for 40 years led the life of a criminal, serving five prison terms during that time, and who had engaged in evangelistic work, died yesterday, the victim of a thug he had sought to reform.

A few weeks ago he took home with him a man who had started out for a night's work as a pick-pocket. He talked with him and thought he had him started on the right path. A few days later, this same man returned with three thugs and the quartet assaulted and robbed Lane and fled. He was seriously injured and failed steadily.

During his career as a criminal Lane was equally skillful as a pick-pocket, highwayman, safe blower and burglar. According to his own statement robberies in which he participated netted more than $2,000,000. He began in Philadelphia when he was 18 years old and operated in every large city in the country.

BILL CAN WHITTLE NOW.

Augusta, Ga., March 22.—The boy scouts of Augusta presented ex-President Taft with a gold knife this morning. A delegation of scouts called on Mr. Taft at his hotel just before he went to the golf course. He expressed his deep appreciation of the gift and told the scouts he would be back here next March to see how they were progressing.

STABBED IN THE HEART.

West Union, O., March 22.—Thomas Stewart, 30, was killed by being stabbed through the heart at the home of his brother-in-law, Amor Green, 19, at Birch Creek, near here last night, and Gren is under arrest charged with having committed the deed. It is alleged the two men quarreeld, and that Green seized a knife and plunged it into the heart of Stewart.

BIG FIRE IN DAYTON.

Dayton, O., March 22.—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed the L. W. Keyer cigar box factory, 352 Xenia avenue, damaged the Charles Hoffritz cigar box factory, 344 Xenia avenue, and consumed numerous small buildings, causing a total estimated loss of $100,000. Six firemen were slightly injured or overcome by smoke.

More Profitable.

After all, it seems to be more profitable to write good stories than to write hair-raising mining literature.—Boston Advertiser.

WILSON WILL SOON GET HIS LAUNDRY DONE FOR NOTHING.

Washington, March 22.—President Wilson took under consideration today a further development of the administration's policy toward China when he was asked what might be the attitude of this government toward business enterprises in China by American capitalists independent of governmental aid.

George Bronson Rea, confidential adviser of Sun Yat Sen and technical secretary of the Chinese Railway Commission, arranging for 10,000 miles of trunk line railways in China had a conference with the president today at which he gave Mr. Wilson details of the project and told him that American capital would participate in the railway construction.

Mr. Rae was particularly interested to know just how far this government would go in supporting contracts between American interests and the government of China, in view of the fact that other foreign powers were exercising governmental supervision over some business enterprises in that connection. Mr. Rea learned that the president was not ready to make any announcement and was asked to prepare a [illegible] on the situation.

Her First Easter Rabbit

TURKISH COMMANDER NEVER TO SURRENDER UNLESS HE STARVES

Adrianople, March 22.—(7 a. m., by wireless to Constantinople)—Shukri Pasha, the commander of this fortress and his troops are determined to continue the defense they have now carried on for five months and all reports as to offers made by them to surrender may be diminished as pure inventions.

Only starvation can force the capitulation of the beleaguered garrison. Food still regularly distributed among the population by the military authorities and there are considerable supplies.

Perfect order prevails within the city. The Bulgarian besiegers are making no progress and their occasional assaults have been futile. The intermittent bombardment has done no harm to the defending forces.

Discord is said to prevail among the allied armies. The Servians brought up to assist the Bulgarians in the siege remain idle in their lines and are not participating in any of the active operations.

The report from Sofia that Shukri Pasha had ordered the Greek and Armenian bishops here to be hanged because they had drawn attention to the alleged miseries of the population is groundless. It has aroused much indignation here, the prelates themselves being most fervent of those protesting against the story. They extoll the courtesy of the commander, praising his solicitude for the civil and military population of the city.

Strongly Worded.

Vienna, March 22.—The Austro-Hungarian government today addressed a strongly worded note to Montenegro which was in the nature of an ultimatum.

Greeks Raise Blockade.

Washington, March 22. — The Greek government has raised the blockade on the coast of Epirus from Prevesea northward to forty degrees, four minutes north latitude, according to official reports today from the American legation at Athens.

One Note More.

Berlin, March 22.—The German foreign office learned today that armed operations against Montenegro by the Austrian navy may be expected soon. An Austrian squadron is now maneuvering off the Montenegrin and Albanian coasts.

The officials of the German foreign office state that Austria will send one further note to Montenegro so as to exhaust the possibility of diplomacy before the character of the character of the activity of the warships changes from a demonstration into offensive action.

It is understood, here that Russia has counselled the Montenegrins to yield.

German Steamer Seized.

Bremen, Germany, March 22.—Greek warships today seized the German steamer Irmingard off the Island of Lamnos in the Aegean sea. She sailed from Barrick, Wales, on February 28 for Genoa. No details of the reason for her capture are given in the telegram received by the owners.

Ambassadors Recalled.

London, March 22.—The new crisis in the Balkans led today to the instant recall from their Easter vacation of the ambassadors in London of the European powers. They met in conference this afternoon to discuss the situation.

Anxious in France.

Paris, March 22.—Austria-Hungary's isolated action against Montenegro is looked upon with considerable anxiety here. It is believed that a naval demonstration off the Montenegrin coast will in the present temper of the Montenegrins, result in an armed collision. Should such a clash occur Russia, it is believed, certainly would intervene.

Louis Brunet, the Montenergin consul general at Paris, commenting upon Austria's note to Montenegro today said:

"It is clair that Austria seeks a fresh quarrel with Montenegro and it recalls the incident at Prisrend in which the Austrian consul Prochaska was the principal. On this occasion Austria selects the moment when the fortress of Scutari is about to fall, to act.

"The pretext she uses in trivial. The Austrian government knows that to allow the civil population of Scutari to leave the citadel would be to paralyze the Servian and Montenegrin military operations for the reason that the greater part of the civilian inhabitants have been armed and are defending the city.

STOPS TRAIN ON BRINK OF TOTTERING BRIDGE SAVING MANY LIVES

Lyndonville, Vermont, March 22—Facing what appeared to be imminent death, the engineer of a passenger train from Montreal for Boston today brought the crowded coaches to an abrupt stop on the edge of a tottering bridge

An instant later the structure, weakened by a flood, gave way under the weight of the locomotive and the engine with its crew plunged into the ice-choked stream.

The 125 passengers who scrambled out of the cars to learn the cause of their sudden shaking up received a than another Lippfort,cp,cSHRDLUU second shock when the trainmen reported that another bridge oevr the Passumpsic river, a mile back, had been swept away a moment after their train had cleared it.

The engineer and fireman by a lucky chance dropped into open water and swam ashore not much the worse for their experience.

The Passumpsic river had risen rapidly since yesterday when a warm sun and showers melted the ice and snow along its banks. Ice jams piled up at many points.

Duding the night two other railroad bridges at nearby points of the Boston and Maine were carried away.

The train that so narrowly escaped disaster was a local that left Montreal last night and was due in Boston this afternoon. It carried passengers from all along the route.

Engineer John Eastman had felt his way cautiously througs the flood district, keeping a sharp eye on river crossings. As he approached the bridge near this station he saw that the abuttment had been weakened, and reversing his engine clapped on the air brakes. The train came to a halt within its own length, but not until the locomotive had added its weight to the weakened pier, causing it to collapse. The coupling between the engine and the cars snapped and Eastman and his fireman took a 40 foot drop clinging to the sides of the cab.

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JAMES BERNARD FAGAN.

James Bernard Fagan who made the adaption of "Bella Donna" in which Madame Nazimova is now touring over the country, is the brother-in-law of Charles Bryant who plays Dr. Isaacson in Madame Nazimova's "Bella Donna." Mr. Fagan began his career with four years of practical theatrical work under Sir Herbert Tree and Mr. F. R. Benson, England's foremast ataltotic Shakespearean producer. One of Mr. Fagan's most notable plays is a fine poetic drama of the fifteenth century, Italian in scene, called "The Prayer of the Sword." But later came a much more remarkable work called "The Earth." This last, saturated with the spirit of modernity did much to prepare Mr. Faan for the adaptation of a book like "Bella Donna"—which is nothing if it is not a photographic study of a woman of today. Mr. Fagan deliberately so chose his scenes in "Bella Donna" as not only to carry on the whole plot of the story but also to bring out the finest scenic effects in the book. The glimpses he gives of life along the Nile as many Egyptians and English live it on dayahbeehs has resulted in an Egyptian realism of atmosphere quite remarkable.

The next time that New York sees "Peter Pan" will be for a period of six or more likely eight weeks as against the short Barrie fare of three weeks, which was necessarily the extent of Maude Adams' New York season this year, entirely because of her wish to devote the year to acting "Peter" in places where the little hero was a stranger. In the midst of Miss Adams' three weeks' stay at the Empire theatre, New York, however—during which sad gave ten performances a week—it was evident to her that the New York season of "Peter Pan" was vastly underestimated. Already on the wall of the Empire theatre, New York, is a panel announcing Miss Adams' annual Empire theatre season in "Peter Pan," beginning December 23, 1913. Mr. Frohman's intention is that, though Christmas may come but once a year it will always bring "Peter Pan. Or, should one say "Re-Peter Pan." For, though "Peter Pan" still refuses to grow up, the number of his appearances keeps on mounting until now it is well along the two thousand mark And no matter how many times it is given in each city, the favorite lines are cheered almost before they are spoken; and Tinkel Bello is cured almost before she is ill by the impatience of the youngsters to express their belief in fairies. It can be said in very truth of "Peter Pan" what is claimed for so many children's plays, that it is for children of all ages, for is not the enduring charm of the piece that it translates one from the sordid surroundings of a work-a-day world to those realms of high romance to which only those who have the heart of a child can gain admittance. And those, too, who have put far away the childish things still have in their heart of hearts a hankering for those glorious days of "Lets Pretend"—when there were red Indians to be scalped, palisades to be stormed, pirates to be shot and captives to be rescued. Dear, dear Robert Louis and dear Mr. Barrie, what immorality they have brought to those picturesque beings whom a little girl once called "the pretty parrots."

Lawyer's Raiment Too Gaudy.

Proceedings at the Durban, South Africa, circuit court were recently suspended for half an hour while the advocate-general went home to change his waistcoat, the judge having objected to the fancy pattern of the one he was wearing.

On the Spot.

A girl on a footstool often has an advantage over a girl on a pedestal.—The Tatler.

BIG SAFE BREAK PROVES CLASSIC

Genius in Looting of Electrified Vault.

RICHES OF KING SOLOMON.

Daring Robbery of New York Pawnshop in Which $300,000 in Plunder Was Taken Attributed to "Deafy," World's Greatest Living Safe Blowing Artist—Dodged Many Wires.

A strange key found in the lock of a cellar door led recently to the discovery of the biggest robbery in New York city since the burglary of the Manhattan bank, more than a quarter of a century ago.

The amount stolen is roughly estimated to be $300,000, while a half million more in jewels and negotiable bonds was not taken, probably because the safe blowers could not carry the plunder away.

The place entered and robbed was Martin Simons & Son's pawnshop, at 94 Hester street, on New York's east side. Simons is, with perhaps two exceptions, the largest pawnbroker in the United States.

It is whispered about the rooms of the detective bureau that only one man known to be still living could have planned and executed the robbery of the Simons' vaults. That man, one of whose aliases is "Deafy," is as great an artist with burglars' tools as was Whistler with the brush, head of what practically amounted at one time to a correspondence school in safe cracking conducted through the blind channels of the underworld, and student of vault combinations and protected safes beyond all others the most expert.

"Deafy," who is now a cocaine fiend, but whose cunning can be bought, even though his head is not as steady as it once was, arrived in New York a short time ago, so the deadened whisper came to headquarters through hidden sources. He arrived just about the time the Varga Jewelry company, at 324 Fifth avenue, gave up $20,000 worth of gems to burglars.

Used Cheap Tools.

An examination of the tools left behind at the Simons job showed them to be about as cheap a set of instruments as a set of cracksmen ever carried. They comprised a four foot iron drill, an eighteen inch jimmy, two circular saws, one twelve and one six pound sledgehammer and a quantity of insulated wire. There were two pairs of kid gloves, giving the impression that only two men were concerned in the inside work. In a way this accounts for what had been left behind.

It is clear the cracksmen wore gloves to avoid leaving a trace of finger prints behind them. Detectives who scanned every inch of the immediate scene of the robbery, using electric lights and microscopes, failed utterly to find any of the telltale thumb marks.

In order to accomplish the robbery of the Simons pawnshop the burglars skillfully evaded a network of electric burglar alarms which was considered so perfect that the firm did not carry any burglar insurance.

Great Riches In Vault.

The pawnbrokers' vault contained $130,000 in negotiable bonds and $100,000 in negotiable notes as well as thousands of dollars' worth of gold watches and gems. The paper was scattered about the floor. Some of the watches were taken, but for the most part the thieves got what they were after—diamonds.

The looted vault was nine feet high, twelve feet long and about ten feet wide. Its walls were two feet thick, of brick. From the steel of the vault to the outer rim of the store itself the network of wires was continuous, but the burglars dodged every one.

The burglars went down into the cellar, where the tenants had coal bins. They had a key with which they unlocked the bin nearest the wall, on the other side of which is the cellar of the pawnbrokers' store. They didn't touch that wall; they burrowed under it, because it, too, was infested with the dangerous electric wires.

In the coal bin they went to work with their hands. They scraped coal away from the desired wall. Then they gouged their little hole in the earth of the cellar floor and went through. The hole was measured by skeptical policemen. It was 12 by 19 inches, so the measurers say.

Skillfully Avoided Wires.

Wriggling through, they found themselves in the pawnbrokers' cellar at the foot of the stairs leading up to the store. At the head of the stairs was a trapdoor, and the trapdoor wasn't locked. But it was electric wired. The burglars avoided it.

The bored hole after hole in the wood until they took out a square of planking big enough to let a man or boy through.

They made a big hole in the brick as they penetrated the side wall and laid bare the wall of the vault itself.

This wall was only wood, hardly more than a quarter of an inch thick, just a nominal wooden sheathing which nobody ever thought any burglars would ever see. They ripped the wood, dropped into the vault, and there before them were the riches of a King Solomon's mine in the east side of New York.

DICTOGRAPH TO SAVE FOWLS.

Inventor Places Device In Henroop to Trap Chicken Thieves.

K. M. Turner, inventor of the dictograph, has rigged up the buildings on his farm at West Nyack with a unique burglar alarm system to trap chicken thieves.

Turner is a poultry fancier and keeps hundreds of hens on his Ridge egg farm that have more than once proved tempting to prowlers. After considerable study he devised a wire system that can be made to do the work of a telephone, burglar alarm or dictograph.

The contrivance is used during the day as a telephone system to the various farm buildings, which are connected with the superintendent's residence. When the lights go out on the farm the turning of a switch transforms the device into a burglar alarm.

MYSTERY OF SPHINX SOLVED.

Harvard Professor Finds Way into Inside of Great Monument.

Great interest is being taken in the recent discoveries at the sphinx. Professor Reisner, Egyptologist of Harvard university, has succeeded in removing the accumulated sand of sixty centuries from the interior of the head and has gained entrance through the neck to a temple that runs the whole length of the gigantic body, measuring 120 feet in length.

In this temple is a pyramid which forms the tomb of Menes, the first king of Egypt, and is supposed to contain his mummified body.

Sloping passages from the temple lead to other chambers, as yet unexplored, and it is thought to a subterranean city of importance.

NEW CAPITAL FOR AUSTRALIA.

Foundation of City Is Laid, and It Is Christened Cranbera.

The foundation stone of the future capital of Australia was laid recently by Baron Denman, governor general of the commonwealth. Lady Denman christened the new city Cranbera in the presence of great crowds from Melbourne and Sydney.

The Australian ministers also attended the ceremony of inauguration of what is intended to be a model capital. The city is to be built on a site on which the only buildings now existing are scattered dwellings of farmers.

SENTIMENTAL

I don't like your cook book—it doesn't recommend Gold Medal Flour. Indeed.

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN, THE GREATEST "COMEBACKER" IN THE COUNTRY

As Premier of President's Cabinet He Achieves His Final Victory.

Indomitable Will and Tact Carried Him Through Countless Defeats.

By JAMES A. EDGERTON.

THEY do come back- some of them You can knock them out, jump on their prostrate forms and have them unanimously elected members of the Down and Out club, but they will be up and smiling at the tap of the gong They are like the cat you put in a meal sack and take seventeen miles away to lose it in the wilderness, only to find on your return that the cat beat you home You can't lose some men Defeat only makes their friends more loyal You may think you have them "beaten to a frazzle," but they are always ready for the next round.

With these few brief remarks, ladies and gentlemen, we will now introduce the greatest comebacker of them all, not that he needs introducing, but only to show that we know him. Sure, you guessed his identity the first time The peerless leader is his middle name—and not only the peerless leader and peerless loser, but the peerless comebacker. You can't lose William Jennings Bryan.

There are people who held fallacious views to the contrary. They now know better. Any one who harbored that delusion is like Coleridge's "Ancient Mariner"—

A sadder and a wiser man he woke the morrow morn.

The Republicans were sure he was done for in 1896. They again gleefully announced his demise in 1900 After Parker's nomination in 1904 both the Republicans and a part of the Democrats were essentially and teetotally certain that this was the end of Bryan. They finished him once more in 1908. When he broke with Jim Dahlman and other leaders of his party in Nebraska in 1910 everybody agreed that at last he was out of it—that is, everybody but Bryan. They ..'t the most important man out of the equation It is hard to keep a man licked if he won't admit he's licked. You all do know what happened at the Baltimore convention and what the peerless did to them there. And now he is premier of the cabinet, thank you, is only fifty-three, his health was never better, and he still has the smile that won't come off. You can't keep a good man down—not if his name is Bryan

Looks Like a Victor.

Did you ever see anything like it—now, honestly, did you? That man has been whipped enough to put a whole regiment of ordinary politicians permanently out of commission. But to look at him now you would think he had been a victor all his life. The same Bryan he was twenty years ago, except that he is balder and bears down a little more heavily on the scales His smile is as ready, his wit as quick and his eye as bright as of yore. He walks with the same athletic spring, and his voice—that wonderful voice that has been heard by perhaps more people than that of any man now living—is as resonant as ever

The writer has known Mr. Bryan for twenty-three years—ever since away back in 1890, when he was first elected to congress. During these years I have at times been associated with him intimately—politically, socially and as a newspaper man—and have studied him from every angle As a result of this study I say deliberately that in many ways I regard him as the most remarkable man now living That is the secret of his power to come back. He has the goods.

Shortly after the inauguration I went down to see him. Several hundred other Americans were on the same mission—that is, all of them did not go to see Bryan, but they were in Washington. Some of them were after jobs. Others went to enjoy the show. But from the numbers at his hotel and in the secretary of state's offices it was evident that most of them did see him or tried to. And great swarms of them succeeded. From long experience the new secretary of state has acquired the knack of getting a visitor's case in a word or two and passing him on. That is the secret of being a public man. You have to pass them on and make them think at the same time that you are their sworn friend. It is a great art and perhaps one that cannot be acquired One has to be born to it, as he does to being a king or a poet.

Keeps the Line Moving

In the art of passing them on Secretary Bryan is a past master With one or two dexterous questions he has their story With another word he tells them what to do His wit is always on tap, and his memory for faces and names is remarkable His personal magnetism is in good working order, likewise his handshake and friendliness Bryan can make every man feel that he is a friend because it is a fact His good will for everybody flows in a never ceasing stream But through it all he passes them along Never forget that one point for it is vital If he did not he would have no time left for being secretary of state or anything else One of the New York newspapers says that the new premier can get rid of more llers in a less time than any public official who has recently appeared in Washington

Those who have any real business with him he singles out and waves aside for a later conference But those ire comparatively few The others he keeps moving in a constant stream It is the same at the hotel or at his offices Only at the hotel there is the added grace of Mrs Bryan's presence Her tact and diplomacy with people are on a par with her distinguished husband's. By 9 o'clock or shortly after the secretary is ready to go to his office. For an hour earlier he has been recei callers at the New Willard An ne who knows about the usual Washington hours can realize just what this means The average high department official is seldom in his office before 10 nor, as a general thing, are his secretaries and those in immediate touch with him Sometimes he is not there till after noon But the new regime is not only Democratic, but early rising Any way, you have to rise early if you get ahead of Bryan.

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LATE PHOTOGRAPH OF MR. BRYAN (AT TOP) AND AT HIS DESK AS SECRETARY OF STATE.

His Job Agrees With Him.

The secretary of state occupies the presidential suit at the Willard Nothing significant about that Even if you get there shortly after 8 the reception room is well filled, at least it was so on the morning I went The first to greet us was Mrs Bryan, with a charming smile, introducing everybody to everybody else Here is a noted lawyer from Brooklyn, there a business man and his wife from New York You meet a Dr. Jennings, a cousin from St. Louis, then a distinguished diplomat, next an army colonel, followed by the famous this or that, also several nobodies. In a moment Mr Bryan breaks away from an important conference in an inner room—all conferences in inner rooms are supposed to be important—and with a handshake and a word for each greets all comers. You observe that he is looking happier than usual His new job seems to agree with him

He Fits the Frame.

Did you ever put an old picture into a new frame? Possibly the frame was so new that it made the picture look old and dingy or so good it made the picture look cheap, or perhaps if you had the artistic sense in choosing both they seemed to fit exactly, making a harmonious and pleasing whole Well, seeing Bryan as secretary of state was like that. He was in a new frame. Some had misgivings about whether the painting and frame would harmonize. From my brief observations I should say that President Wilson has the artistic sense His new secretary of state fits the frame as though made for it.

The state, war and navy building is just across the way from the little low white building in which the president has his office. The secretary of state's rooms are in the south end, that toward the Potomac. Here the numbers in waiting were larger than at the hotel There were senators, congressmen, candidates for diplomatic appointments and plain folks Word was brought in that Secretary Bryan would see us soon, but that he was then at the White House One wag remarked: "That sounds good We've been trying to get him there a long while" This reminds me of what another man said to the candidate in 1908: "I'm going to vote for you Mr Bryan It has become a habit"

He is exactly the same old Bryan in office that he was out of office. In fact, he is never different in any position in which he is placed. I recall having been with him the next day after his defeat for the presidency in 1900. He was the most cheerful man in the crowd. The rest of us had faces long enough to eat oats out of an old fashioned churn. Only the beaten candidate was cheerful and philosophical.

Few Defeated Three Times.

This recalls another story that a gentleman told me while on the train from Washington He had entertained Mr. Bryan in his home and had invited a small company to meet him at dinner, among them a New York congressman. It was in 1908, when Bryan was for a third time the candidate for president. The congressman asked him point blank if he expected to be elected. Bryan replied by telling of a very aged neighbor of his whom we will call Uncle Jake and who was lying at the point of death Dropping in to pay his respects, Mr. Bryan expressed the hope that the sufferer would pull through, and Uncle Jake responded: "Well, one thought comforts me Very few men die when past eighty-seven (his own age)" The candidate continued that very few men had been defeated for president of the United States the third time

There is only one change in the genial secretary observed by his old friends, and that is in his headgear. Those who were with him in the great fights of the past can think of him only in connection with a soft hat. The hat might be white or black, but it would be soft and worn at the Bryan angle Now, however, they say that on state occasions he wears a high hat. This, of course, is only rumor and may be a libelous one at that. At the inauguration it was not so, as multitudinous photographs show But the whispers are so persistent that they almost compel belief. At any rate, a Washington paper remarked that President Wilson once wanted to knock Bryan into a cocked hat, but had ended by knocking him into a high hat.

A Great Secretary of State.

One thing is observable in Washington—that there is a change of feeling toward Bryan. Many who have been most bitter against him before are modifying their views Not a few of those who have been unfriendly to him in the past are predicting that he will make a great secretary of state. My own view is that he will make one of the greatest in the history of the nation, but I would distrust my own view since I may be personally biased in his favor Certain it is that in his first move after taking office he won a diplomatic victory That was in connection with the indemnity bill in Cuba. It was the vigorous protest of Secretary Bryan that caused the Cuban president to veto the bill.

He comes into the office with two delicate situations confronting him, that in Mexico and that with Great Britain over the Panama canal tolls The recognition of the Chinese republic is also pending and the Balkan war situation may develop a diplomatic crisis that will affect this country.

There have been great men in the office of secretary of state—Jefferson John Marshall, Madison, Monroe, J. Q Adams, Clay, Webster, Calhoun, Van Buren Buchanan, Seward, Blaine and Hay stand among the first rank of our statesmen, and most of the others are celebrated in history. Now is added the name of William J. Bryan thrice candidate of his party for president and known as an orator around the world. Will his conduct of our foreign relations add new luster to his name and to the great office he fills? Predictions are idle, but all true Americans regardless of party, hope that he will, and with some of us this feeling is backed by the reminder of the trinity of love and faith

SUNKEN FOREST IS FOUND.

It Is Said to Be a Thousand Years Old and Is Petrified

A sunken forest, entirely petrified and thirty feet below the surface, was discovered recently near Bakersville, N J According to an estimate made by the state geologist, the forest is at least a thousand years old

Workmen excavating for a clay mine kept striking hard substances after they had got down about thirty feet. They reported to Warren Somers, who owns the tract, and he submitted some of the substance to the state geologist for analysis and received word that the stuff was petrified wood.

PERSONAL.

The advent of spring has caused a return to northern climates of many of the winter tourists Mrs Chauncey F Lufkin has returned from Miami, Fla where she has enjoyed the delightful climate, for the past couple of weeks

Easter sees the return of many boys and girls from college Among those already in the city are Fred. Shappell, Virgil Parent, Walter Davison, Paul Morris and Harold Mahar from Ohio State at Columbus, George MacDonell from the Pennsylvania university at Philadelphia, Miss Mae Benroth from Otterbein at Westerville Wallace King from Kenyon at Gambier; Clayton Robertson from Wittenberg at Springfield.

Mr and Mrs M P Colt are at home from a delightful stay among the palms of Florida and in the south

MARRIAGE LICENSES

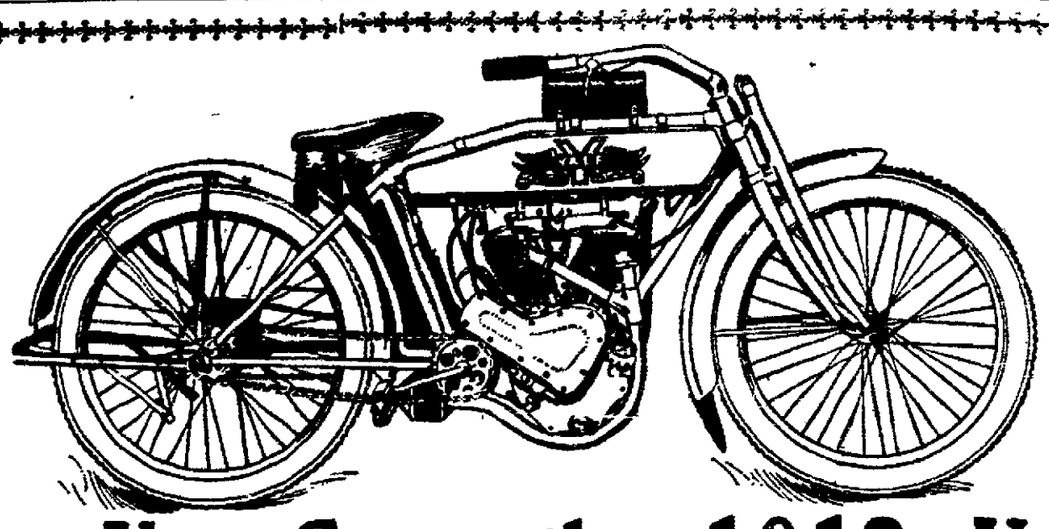
Marriage licenses were today issued to Carl Harlin, Jr, farmer, Uniapolis, and Emma Ellen Stevenson, 26, Allen county Rev Constein

Walter W Holten, 21, laborer, Lima, and Sarah Anna Gilbert, 18, domestic Lima Squire Holmes

Benjamin H Alleman, 21 photographer Lima and Edna Vellegare, 25, cigarmaker, Lima Rev. Bovey

Carl Eugene Miller, 18 farmer, Amanda township and Olive D Swartz, 18 domestic, Amanda township Rev Hoel

Lawrence Barr returned last night from a week in Chicago and vicinity.



Have You Seen the 1913 Yale ?

Do you know that it is the swellest motorcycle out? Do you know that it has more good individual features than any other machine on the market? Do you know that experts have been unable to find, not even one single little thing to criticize? Well, these are positive facts, facts beyond dispute. Of course, you might say: "You say that because you sell them." No, never for that reason. You've got that turned around. We had a chance to get the agency for several other well known machines, but when we saw the 1913 Yale we could see nothing else, only the Yale, and the machine itself told in the above facts. Come in and see it, and after you see it and see all the others, you will find it one of the hardest jobs you ever had to dismiss that Yale picture from your mind.

Lima Cycle Co.

212 WEST HIGH ST. NEW PHONE 1115-A.

CAPTURE OF HOLD-UP MEN

Brings Nearer the End of Latest Criminal Sensation.

AUTO OF BANDITS DASHES INTO WALL

Dozen Motor Car Thugs in the Toils in New York City.

New York March 22 – Holdup men who tried to escape in a taxicab after robbing an East Side cafe early this morning, were captured by the police when the machine crashed into a building amid a volley of revolver shots With the recent arrest of a dozen motor car bandits the police believed they had brought an end to the city's newest crime sensation The robbery this morning apparently supplied the first intimation that several gangs of automobile highwaymen have been at work

The bartender was held up at the point of revolvers by five men who arrived in a machine. A sixth man remained in the car. When the men ran out after robbing the cash register and made off in their machine, the alarm was given There was an exchange of shots as a patrolman gave chase on foot. The cab swung around a corner Another policeman stepped into its path, firing at the swaying car Shots from the cab passed through his uniform At this moment it swerved into a building and was wrecked. Two of the men escaped

YORTKAMP'S ADVERTISEMENT IN OUR FRIDAY'S EDITION SHOULD HAVE READ POSITIVELY CLOSES MARCH 29 INSTEAD OF MARCH 22.

THE IDLER.

The souvenir number of the Horse Journal, which was delivered this morning, contains a glowing tribute to the work of J F. (Jack) Horner, Lima man and one of the most prominent and most successful starting judges of the race track today

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IDLER

Word has been received lately from the bedside of 'Mike' McLeod stating that his condition is much improved, and that he is doing as well as could be expected He recovered consciousness the fore part of the week, and will soon be out of all danger

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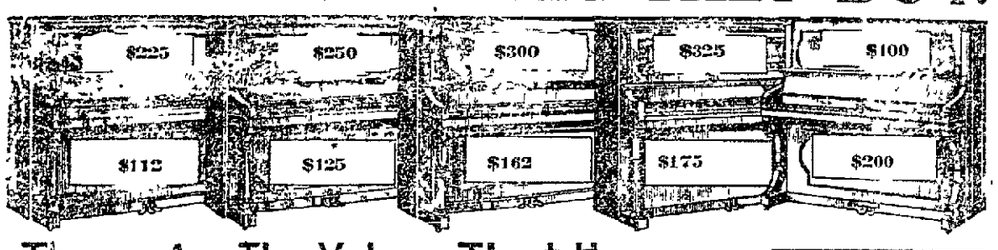
A letter has been received here from Dr Van Note from Miami, Florida, stating that the condition of Mrs Van Note is very much improved Though very serious at one time, the condition did not remain extreme long, and she has been steadily improving. It is the present plan of the Van Notes to return to Lima early in April.

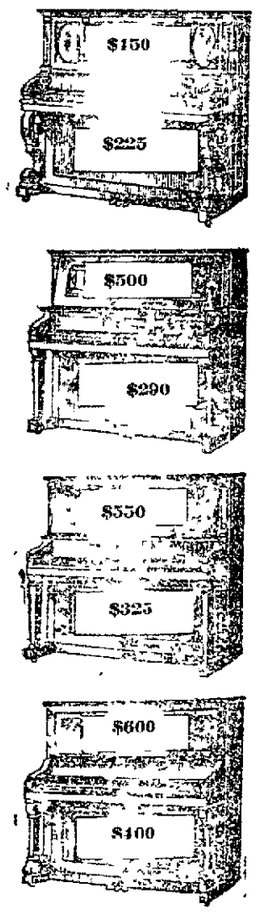
TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE Indian motorcycle, 1912 model, 7 horse-power, good as new or will trade on vacant lot Call Bush, Lima club, or 1439 W. High St. 9t3*

THE PIANOS AND WHY THEY BUY.



These Are The Values That Have Upset The Piano Market & Created A Buying Habit Among The People AT



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Not only one factory represented, but many of the best in the world, such as the Lindeman, Chickering, Sohmer, Schaff, Ivers & Pond, Milton, Emerson, Hammond, Kurtzman and many others.

REMEMBER! We are here to stay; we are out of the high rent district; we buy for cash in large quantities, pay no commissions, and the large number of pianos we sell makes the selling expense on each one very small. We take care of you in case of sickness or out of work. Don't delay your visit of inspection.

Some of the specials in this sale:

New $250 Piano at $100

$800 Player Piano at $390.

$600 Player Piano at $290.

H. P. MAUS PIANO HOUSE

Store Open Evenings

HELP THE WOODMEN IN BEST OF CAUSES

The way the boys and girls are hustling selling tickets for the Woodmen's concert at Memorial hall next Tuesday evening shows they are both interested and enthusiastic. They know the proceeds go to the Lima Civic league for play grounds and to them the world play ground calls up last summer's fun

One bright-eyed boy summed up the situation right when he said "We want one nearer home we had a dandy time when we got to go to the city park, but it's too far for us kids"

AKRON SITUATION APPARENTLY SAME AS AT BEGINNING.

Columbus, O. March 22.—That conditions in the rubber strike at Apron apparently are unchanged from what they were seven weeks ago when the strike was declared, so far as claims of the strikers and manufacturers are concerned, is the statement made today by D H Sullivan, secretary of the state board of arbitration who returned from the scene of the strike

"Both sides are holding out firm and from all outward appearances there is no change from conditions which existed when the strike was declared," said Mr Sullivan

Mr Sullivan has been in Akron for several days studying conditions He said that violence seemingly has subsided but that otherwise the attitudes of the contending factions have not changed He declined to predict the outcome of the strike All of the rubber manufacturing plants are in operation

FATALLY "STUCK UP."

Sharon Pa March 22 —When Melvina Morford, now grown to womanhood, was a child she stepped on a packet of needles and a dozen or more entered her foot Three years ago surgeons began taking pieces of steel from her muscles, the nedles having "traveled" Yesterday it became necessary, in an effort to save her life, to amputate the leg blood poison from the needles having developed

NEVER HAD TIME FOR MATRIMONY OR EQUAL SUFFRAGE

Stockbridge Mass, March 22 — Miss Florence Markham of Interlaken, who began carrying the mails to Stockbridge when she was 17 years old in 1889, and has covered 86,400 miles since, has been awarded a contract four years more Miss Markham figures that she will have rounded out 100,000 miles by 1917. Since she has been carrying the mails the post office in Interlaken has been charged five times and has had five different postmasters

We wish to thank the kind neighbors and friends, the teachers and Daughters of Veterans who were so helpful to us during the illness and death of our dear daughter, Iva

MR AND MRS BYRON BOWERS.

FORMER LIMA BOY GAINS PUBLICITY

Product of His Pen Appears in the American Magazine for April.

Elmer Apple, a former Lima boy and member of the class of 1908 of Lima high school has again broken into the literary limelight In the April number of the American Magazine appears a short story entitled Darcy Klaw," under the signature of Mr Apple It is ably written and portrays excellent newspaper life

For the past some time Elmer Apple has been writing short stories and several times before he has been so fortunate as to have his products accepted and published by credited magazines Since his graduation from the local high school the young author has risen rapidly He has been employed on Cleveland and Indianapolis papers at different times, as well as getting into the other work

LEGAL NOTICE.

Minnie Pearl Hart, whose residence is Brazil, Indiana, is hereby notified that Ralph Howard Hart has filed his petition against her for divorce and custody of children Case No 15470 in Common Pleas court of Allen county, Ohio, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 10th day of May 1913

RALPH HOWARD HART

By Hughes & Templeholm, his attorneys. m8-22-sat mo 5w

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A trial is worth while

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—A competent girl for general house work. Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, 621 W Market St 9-3t*

WANTED—Suite of 2 or 3 modern furnished rooms with bath, in first class part of city for refined man and wife. No rooming or boarding house need reply. Address "L. B." care Times-Democrat. 9t3*

WANTED—Lady to keep house for myself and 3 children. Address E C Young, care of Times-Democrat.

WANTED—A girl for general housework Inquire 311 south Elizabeth, or call new phone 2258-A 6-3t

WANTED—Rollers, Bunch-breakers and Strippers. Also beginners to learn the trade. Good wages, constant employment. Apply either factory The Deisel-Wemmer Company. jan30-11-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—20 new houses and bungalows in all parts of Lima—Prices $1,000 to $5,000 Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Bell 'phone 961, New 'phone 1691, Home Builders, Holland building aug27tf

FOR SALE—43½-acre farm, formerly the Dr. Honnel farm; also my residence in Beaverdam Have not rented yet and will sell at a bargain if sold inside of next 30 days.—Henry Shull, Beaverdam feb 29tues-fri-tf

FOR SALE—My residence property at 871 west Market street. Lot 52x206 9 rooms aside from large closets, linen room, alcoves and bath. Toilets up stairs and down full basement. All modern. Emerson W Price. jan1tf

FOR SALE—Fine household furniture, used but a short time, to be sold very cheap, parties leaving city Sale takes place Monday morning, March 24, at 10 o'clock, at 1141 south Main street *

FOR SALE.

Room cottage, modern except furnace, large lot. All in fine condition on S Atlantic north of Vine street $1950
Room nearly new house, strictly modern, nice lot. 518 N. Collett st. Reasonable terms $3100
Room modern house, everything up-to-date, large lot, fine location 419 N Jameson avenue. Reasonable terms $4000
Room strictly modern house, hot water heat, fine basement, lot 50x157 521 N Charles street reasonable terms $3400
Room house, cellar, small lot West Haller street near Elizabeth rents for $10.00 per month $1050
Room good house, partly modern, nice large lot, fruit. 710 east Albert street $400.00 down, balance monthly $2100
Room house, partly modern, nice lot, good shade Brice avenue, near Washington A bargain $2100
Room house, all modern, slate roof, small lot 406 N. Washington street $3700
Room fine house, slate roof, modern except furnace, good barn, front lot 50x209, paving all paid 921 Linden street . . . $3200
Room new house, strictly modern, oak finish, both kinds of lights, large lot A very fine place 817 Singleday avenue $2850
Room strictly modern house, oak finish everything right up to date, large lot West Wayne street near Cornet $4600
Room cottage, good condition, large lot good barn, Calumet avenue near Linden Will exchange for larger property $1500
Large lot McPheron avenue east north of Kibby Will sell at bargain
Choice lots on Brice Ave $2000
Nice lot on N Metcalf street near Haller $600 00 for lot or will build house on lot to suit purchaser Reasonable terms.
Vacant lots, do not fail to see us we have them every place. Price and terms to suit.
THE ELMER D. WEBB CO.,
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637 S Main St.
Home Phone 142.

FOR SALE 6 room cottage, 310 Frank avenue, nice high lot fence paid good barn, cistern Fine water some fruit, no location or neighborhood cheap to quick buyer See 2384-R. 9-3t

FOR SALE.

6-room house, on Lakewood avenue, in the West Lakewood addition, strictly modern, cistern, large lot, and a brand new house, for $3,100.
6-room house, on Woodlawn avenue, in the West Lakewood addition, strictly modern, cistern, large lot, paving paid, a brand new house, price $3,800
6-room house, on east Albert street, partly modern, lot 45x200. Price $1,900
7-room house, on west Haller street, in the three hundred block, partly modern, 80-barrel cistern. lot 45x112 Price $2,400
9-room house, near McKibben, on north West street, strictly modern, large lot, price $3,700. A bargain.
8-room house, on south Collett street, strictly modern, a nice location, price $3,000.
10-room house, on west Spring street, strictly modern, 75-barrel cistern, lot 42x209, price $4,600.
7-room house on south Holly street, partly modern, a barn on the rear of lot This property has been sold for $1,800, price now $1,650.
8-room house, in the seven hundred block, on east Elm street, partly modern, two cisterns, cellar, lot 50x150, a nice home, price $2,350.
7-room house on west Eureka street, strictly modern, lot 45x160, a bargain, price $2,500
5-room house on Richie avenue, paved street, strictly modern, hard wood finish, lot 42x150, price $4,000
8-room house on south Metcalf, in six hundred block, partly modern, lot 52x200, price $2,400
For sale, a brick block on east Spring street, that will make about 8 per cent on the investment, with the present leases
Lots in all parts of the city, priced right.
If you don't see what you want, ask for it, and we will get it
Fire insurance, we can give you better service than anybody "?"

CENTRAL REALTY COMPANY,
Both Phones 2430. 205 Masonic Bldg.

FOR SALE—A new barn, will sell at a bargain if sold at once Call at 763 west North St 9-3t*

FOR RENT.

7 room strictly modern house, 1021 Brice avenue, $30 00.
5 room strictly modern house, 1023 Brice avenue, $30.00
5 room modern flat, steam heat, W north street, cor Baxter, $22 00
8 room rooming house, McKibben and Union, $18 00
5 room house, modern except furnace, 906 E High, $15 00
6 room house, partly modern, 822 Weadock avenue, $16 00
5 room partly modern, part of double house, 711 St Johns ave, $12 00
6 room house, partly modern, 703 St. Johns $12 00
4 room house, 1st rear 131 S Jackson, $8 50
THE ELMER D WEBB COMPANY,
56½ Public Square
Both phones

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Modern apartment in "The Laverne", 329 N. Elizabeth St. 5 rooms, bath, hall, cupboards, closets, porch, range, heat, etc. Outside widows in each room Inquire at Apartment No 1. New Phone 687-C. 7-3t*

FOR RENT—Strictly modern ten-room house, located at 222 north Pierce House in best of repair Inquire of A. F Wheeler, 214 N. Pierce street, or call New phone 1468-C 6t3

FOR RENT—5 acre fruit, dairy and gardening farm just outside of the city Inquire of A D. Miller, rooms 6 and 7 Metropolitan block 1-12t

FOR RENT—To family with no small children, ideal apartment on second floor of new Moore building, 126 E High street, 6 large rooms, bath and private hall, as exclusive as double house Steam heat and everything usually furnished. Everything known for comfort and convenience built in. Tinted walls wire birch mahogany finish throughout. Outside widows in every room with transoms over every door assuring perfect system of light and ventilation. Inquire at building. mch 13-15-18-20-22-25

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, heat, light and bath. 319 north West street 6-3

MISCELLANEOUS

EASTER SUNDAY is less than a week away—haven't you some garments that you might wear if they were given a little attention? Why not send them to us? We can do wonders with our improved method of French Dry Cleaning. We really make them look almost new Let us try. Both phones 724. The Bell Laundry & Dry Cleaning Co. Managed by R. Hollenbacher. 3-4t

MEN-WOMEN—Get government parcels post jobs. $20 week. Write for list of positions open Franklin Institute, Dept. 293 B, Rochester, N. Y. 2-12to4-12

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EASY TERMS.
Strictly Confidential. See Me for Farm or City Property.
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THE MARKETS

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Chicago, March 22—Low temperatures over the winter wheat belt today, though in many sections the cold was accompanied by snow, sent wheat up. The fact that all markets in the United States are on a flat export basis tended also to lift prices. The upturn was further aided by statements that the southwest was buying here The market opened unchanged to ⅛@¼ higher May started at 90⅛ to ⅜, varying from ⅛ off to a like amount up and then rose to 90¾.

Firmness was given to corn by unfavorable weather for farm deliveries. May opened unchanged to ¼ lower at 53 to 53⅛ and sold up to 53½.

Limited offerings sent oats up. May started a shade higher at 33½ touched 33⅝@½ and advanced to 33¾.

Packing house buying carried provisions higher. First sales were a shade to 7½@10 higher, including May at $20 65 for pork, $10.80 to 10 85 for lard and $10.87½ to 10.95 for ribs.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE.

Cleveland, O., March 22—Eggs, fresh gathered, current receipts, 19c a dozen, do seconds, 16½c. duck eggs, 28@30c, goose eggs 90@$1 00.

Poultry, alive, chickens, 17@18c a pound

Rest, unchanged.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.

Pittsburgh, Pa, March 22—Hogs—Receipts 1,800, active, heavies $9 50; heavy yorkers, light yorkers and pigs $9.55.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,500; slow, top sheep $7 00 top lambs $9 00.

Calves—Receipts 100 lower, top $11 50

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N Y, March 22.—Cattle—Receipts 50, steady

Veals—Receipts 50, active, $5@11 75.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500, active; heavy $9 50@9 60, mixed $9.60@9.65, yorkers $9 55@9 65, pigs $9 55@9.60, roughs $8 50@8 75; stags $7 00@8 00, dairies $9 35@9 60

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2,200; sheep steady, lambs $6 50@9 05

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 22—Hogs—Receipts 7,000, strong; bulk of sales $8 95@9 10; light $8.85@$9 20; mixed $8 70@$9.15, heavy $8.50@$9 10; roughs $8 50@$8 70, pigs $6 90@$9.00

Cattle—Receipts 200, steady beeves $7 10@$9 20 Texas steers $6 50@$7 60 western steers $6 80@$8 15, stockers and feeders $6 00@$8 25, cows and heifers $3 50@$8 00 calves $7 00@$11.25.

Sheep—Receipts 1,000 steady, native $6 15@$7 00, western $6 40@$7 10, yearlings $7 20@$8 25; lambs native $7 00@$8.25, western $7 25@$8 90

LIMA MARKETS.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE.

Country Butter, lb	30c
Lard, lb	12c
Eggs, doz	18c
Young Chickens, lb	12c
Chickens, lb	14c
Ducks, lb.	12c
Potatoes bu.	45c
Apples, bu	75c@$1 00
Turnips, bu.	40c
Onions, bu.	60c

RETAIL GROCERIES.

Country Butter, lb	35c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	40c
Lard, lb	15c
Eggs, doz	20c
Chickens, lb	14c
Potatoes bu	60c
Apples, bu.	$1.20
Turnips, bu.	60c
Onions, bu.	$1.00

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat, bu	$1.02
Corn, per cwt.	70c
Oats, bu	28c
Timothy Seed, bu.	$1.00
Rye, bu	65c
Red Clover Seed, bu.	$9.50
Alsike, bu.	$10.00

HAY MARKET.

No 1 Timothy, baled, ton	$12.00
No. 1 Timothy, bulk, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Mixed, baled, ton	$11.00
No 1 Mixed, bulk, ton	$9.00
No. 1 Cloved, baled, ton	$10.00
No. 1 Clover, bulk, ton	$8.00

LIVE STOCK.

Good Steers, 1100 to 1200 lbs	7@7¼c
Fair Steers, 900 to 1000 lbs	6½@7c
Heifers	5½@6½c
Calves	7½@8c
Bulls	5@5¾c
Cows	3½@5½c
Lambs	7@8¼c
Hogs, heavy	8½@8¾c

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Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Prevents hair falling.

NATIONAL WAR STARTED AGAINST THE SOCIAL VICE

Score of Governors Enlist in Movement to Aid Working Girls.

Minimum Wage of $9 Weekly Is Demanded—New Laws on Way.

THE entire country has been asked to unite in a campaign in behalf of working girls who are unprotected and surrounded with an environment of temptation and vice

The initial step in the movement was taken when the Illinois state vice committee sent the following telegram to governors throughout the country:

Are you in favor of a minimum wage for women? If so, what wage? Do you favor a state law or national law? Will you co-operate with Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara, chairman of the Illinois committee which is now investigating with an aim to enact legislation for women in an effort to stamp out white slavery?

At least a score of state executives replied immediately, each assuring the Illinois investigators of hearty support and co-operation.

One of the first to reply was Governor Sulzer of New York, who said that New York would fall in line with any move aimed to eliminate traffic in women.

A message from Utah stated that the state legislature passed a bill fixing the minimum wage for women at 75 cents a day for the first year's service and after that $1.25 a day.

Governors Fall In Line.

All the governors expressed themselves emphatically in favor of a minimum wage, and many of them promised to send messages to that effect to their legislatures.

The Chicago merchants who testified before the committee held a secret meeting recently. The wages and conditions of girl employees were discussed for several hours. Since the investigation began the department store proprietors and others have made a careful study of the probable effects of establishing among themselves a minimum wage.

Girls in some stores have already asked higher wages, and it was learned that all were assured that they would be "taken care of" as soon as something definite had been decided on by the employers

Massachusetts Plans Commission.

Governor Foss of Massachusetts addressed a letter to Lieutenant Governor O'Hara replying to his suggestions. He said:

"A resolution has already passed the senate of Massachusetts to provide for an investigation of the white slave traffic, so called, which if enacted will authorize the governor and council to appoint a commission of five persons with ample authority for the purpose"

That a working woman needs $8 00 a week except in domestic service to support herself in Milwaukee is the opinion expressed by the social service commission of the Milwaukee Federation of Charities

The commission urges young women who expect to support themselves to keep away from the city unless they have an assured income of at least $9 a week, domestic service excepted

A bill has been introduced in the Ohio legislature requiring all persons or corporations employing five or more women to report to the state inspector of workshops and factories giving detailed information as to wages, hours of employment, etc. Governor Cox has announced himself in favor of a minimum wage for women workers, but the bill as drawn does not provide for that feature.

A legislative committee to investigate the causes of white slavery in California and the effect of low wages in that relation has been under the chairmanship of Senator Gates of Los Angeles. Governor Hiram W. Johnson declared himself in favor of a national campaign for a minimum wage scale for women.

O'Hara Makes Statement.

Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara of Illinois recently made the following statement on his project in behalf of women:

"Our investigation into the causes and effect of social vice has shown conclusively that thousands of good girls are going wrong every year merely because they cannot live upon the wages paid them by employers.

"The conditions revealed to our commission have been only half told in the press reports. Senator Edmond Beall, a veteran of the civil war and a man of wide experience with the world, broke down completely and wept during the examination of the victims of low wages at our executive session.

"Senator Beall is a retired manufacturer, worth a great many thousands of dollars. He told me that he intended to spend every cent of his fortune and every hour of his time to save American womanhood from the piteous menaces that our investigation has shown constantly surround her

Have Probed Conservatively.

"Senators Tossey and Woodard have declared themselves in like manner. We have investigated this matter sanely and conservatively. We have tried to let the sunlight in on a condition and to spare individuals. We have accorded to all witnesses exact justice and full courtesy, and at the end of our labors so far we are appalled, stunned, horrified.

"American womanhood is in grave peril solely and only because American manhood profits from the helplessness of womanhood to enrich itself. There is no other conclusion to be derived It is a national shame, but it must be faced now and boldly.

Effect of Low Wages.

"We were forced to realize that low wages were the real fundamental cause of white slavery and that to study the effect and ignore the cause would be to give to our investigation the appearance and reality of a farce. We refused to be parties to a farce. The people of Illinois, which took the lead in the final solution of black slavery, stand back of us loyally, and the work will go on regardless of whom or where it strikes

"Our merchant princes and our kings of manufacture the very people who have been the witnesses before our commission, admit that there must be a readjustment of wages To a man they have entered into sincere and earnest co-operation with us

"The crisis is not confined to Illinois. It is national"

DR. FLEXNER FINDS CHILD PARALYSIS GERM.

Famous Physician Photographs the Remarkable Object—Causes Furore.

Before an audience that packed the medical amphitheater of Johns Hopkins hospital Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the Rockefeller Institute For Scientific Research, announced recently that he had discovered, isolated, cultivated and photographed the germ of infantile paralysis

The announcement was greeted by the physicians, surgeons and medical students with prolonged applause as a great step forward in medical research

Illustrating with micro-photographs Dr. Flexner said the germ was one of the smallest ever identified As shown on the screen in an enlarged view of a section of spinal cord infected with it, the germ appeared in a chainlike form in a wavy line

He said he had employed insects which were allowed to bite monkeys infected with the disease and that the insects thus became infected for eight days, but he had not succeeded in reversing the process

Dr. Flexner said that in cultivating the germ a medium freed from oxygen had been found necessary and that the germ never would be found in blood or in any cavity containing oxygen

Holland to Care For Its Old.

The second chamber of the Netherlands parliament recently adopted by 54 votes against 35 a bill providing for compulsory old age and sickness insurance for workingmen.

Few Visit "Garden of Eden."

It is said that hardly more than a dozen white travelers in a year visit the Garden of Eden, which is situated in Turkish Arabia, and is too inaccessible to attract any but the most courageous tourists But perhaps people stay away from fear of being disappointed when they should see it.

So Free With Them.

If people always kept their promises they wouldn't have time to do anything else.

HE HAS DEVICE TO PREVENT TRAIN WRECKS—ASKS PRIZE

Connecticut Man Thinks He Has Won Right to $10,000 Reward.

Harry Needles of Winsted, Conn., explained to the public utilities commission recently a device to prevent railroad wrecks with which he hopes to win a prize of $10,000 offered by President Mellen of the New Haven Railroad company for such a safe guard

The device consists of two uprights of unequal length attached to the roof of a car, connected with the interior by wires, and signal posts with crossarms alongside the track which when set for danger strike the uprights and by means of the interior wiring apply emergency brakes to the train

When the signal arm is set at an angle of forty five degrees it can strike only the longer of the two uprights the effect of which is to open the air valves only enough to reduce the speed of the train to thirty miles an hour This is designed for use at crossovers after passing which the valves close again and the higher speed is resumed

Better English For Signs.

Declaring that modern advertisers are a ruthless transgressor against the rules that govern the use of the English language Edwin Fairley of the Jamaica high school New York expresses the opinion that every city and community should have a commission on English whose function it would be to examine or edit the reading matter on any advertising sign before it is placed before the public.

Appeal.

Among the clever stories retailed at the Beefsteak or the Garrick is a nice one of the florid lawyer, who was counsel in an action for libel brought by a provision merchant against a local newspaper He said in his address to the jury "My client, gentlemen is a cheesemonger, and the reputation of a cheesemonger in the city of London is like the bloom of a peach Touch it, and it is gone forever."

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Not always a trembling or shaking condition Affects the mind as well as the body. Morbid fears. Melancholy. The will power weakened and often entirely lost. Sleepless or without recuperation or rest impairment of memory The loss of the disposition to work. A more and more painful effort of the will to perform the daily duties. Loss of muscular strength. Heart palpitation or dropping a beat Bad circulation. Cold hands and feet
Special Diseases of Women.
Many lives are sacrificed Many receive no benefit Many are made worse by hospital operations The majority of all cases under a special course of treatment direct in intelligent daily life will recover or home treatment is easily applied and will give the greatest benefit
Kidney and Bladder Diseases.
Frequent and dribbling urination With all their complications treated with special remedies and preparations.
Special Diseases of Men.
STRICTURE and all forms of disease of the urethra and prostate gland, treated by our medical bougie method of treatment without pain or detention from business
BLOOD POISON treated without injurious drugs.
We cannot in an advertisement describe the many diseases that specially affect men. Call on us and we will examine you free, will tell you the best thing to do in your trouble. Thirty years a doctor, we bring to our patients the knowledge and skill acquired by practice and study.
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MASTER OF THE HOUSE

Was Role Enacted by a Demented Man on South Pine Street.

POLICE TOOK HIM IN CHARGE

And He Will be Held Pending an Investigation as to His Sanity.

Consternation was caused on south Pine street this morning when a stranger, apparently demented, entered the residence of a family named Meeks at 375 south Pine street, and, relieving himself of his coat and hat, proclaimed himself as master of the household

Instantly the family was in a state of terror, and police headquarters was telephoned to for assistance. Detective Joe Heffern was detailed to investigate, and placed the man under arrest.

Upon being brought to police headquarters, he registered as Fred Wilson, but repeated inquiries as to his home brought no response from the prisoner, who was plainly suffering from a mental derangement.

Wilson was locked up in the city prison, and will be held, pending an investigation.

War Veteran Arrested.

Frank Hamilton, a veteran of the Spanish-American war, with roving tendencies, was arrested by the police last night and locked up on a charge of drunkenness. Hamilton bought liquor with the money he had begged on the street, and was in a horrible state of intoxication when taken in tow by the police. He pleaded guilty this morning, and was fined $1 and costs.

Nine other plain drunks, arrested during the night, were arraigned before the mayor this morning. All were enjoying their first experience before Mayor Shook, and consequently drew the minimum fine, $1 and costs. They registered as Thomas Hill, John Miller, John Klansig, John Wanemaker, Tom Mills, Russell Walkmeyer, Thomas Mannon, Ed Johnson, Frank Quinn

Basket Ball

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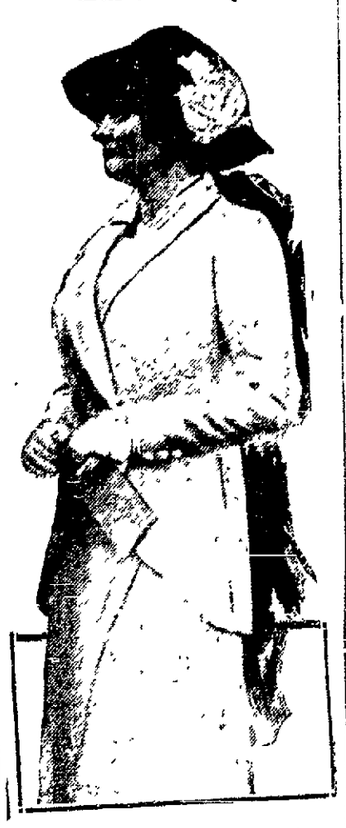
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Ethel Conway.



Ethel Conway, the tennis champion of Byrn Mawr, when she left that institution to go on the stage, ha sannounced she will enter the championship contests about New York and the east this summer She left the famous women's college to enter "The Lady of the Slipper," where she has been successful Most of her success she said was due to the fine physique built up by months and months on the tennis courts. She has become a muscular young woman to whom work on the stage is not a burden.

ATTENTION, COMRADES.

Manager Cunningham, of the Faurot opera house, has cordially invited the old soldiers to attend the motion picture performance of "The Battle of Bull Run" at the opera house, Monday evening

All comrades of the G. A. R. are requested to meet at the opera house Monday evening at 7 30 o'clock.

By order of

CALVIN OSBORN,
Commander

DEATH A GREAT LEVELLER.

London, March 22.—A funeral service for the late King George of Greece, was held today at the Greek church here It was attended by representatives of King George of England, Queen Mother Alexandra and most of the members of the diplomatic corps.

TIME FOR A REVOLUTION.

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, March 22 —The news of the death of General Manuel Bonilla, president of Honduras, yesterday, and the transfer of the executive powers to Vice President Dr Francisco Bertrand, has been received quietly throughout the republic.

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GIFT MADE TO ST. PAUL PARSONAGE FUND.

Six Hundred Dollar Donation Received Today From Friends.

EASTER JOY FILLS LUTHERAN HEARTS

Helen Brice, Kirk Brice and Estate of the Late Kate Brice

Donors of Gift for Memory of Mother of Their Mother.

Miss Helen Brice and Mr. Kirk Brice, daughter and son of the late Senator and Mrs. C. S Brice, and the estate of the late Miss Kate Brice, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brice, have sent to the St. Paul's Lutheran church of this city a contribution of six hundred dollars as an Easter offering to the parsonage fund.

A telegram announcing this contribution, was received this morning by Mary Stolzenbach, one of the active workers in this movement. The announcement comes as a joy to the hearts of many, who have long fostered the hope and desire that this church might own a home for its pastor, who have lately seen a parsonage purchased, and are doing their utmost to secure adequate funds for the payment.

The message that was today received comes in the form an Easter offering At this most happy time of the year, when the joy of every heart is full, its appreciation wells up greater, and the hearts of all are filled. The gift to the St. Paul's church parsonage fund is of six hundred dollars, and means a great increase in the standing of this money

The grand-mother of the donors, Mrs J. H Meilly, was a very enthusiastic and ardent member of the congregation of this church in this city, and a number of her children are still closely connected with it Mrs Meilly was the mother of the late Mrs C. S Brice, and it is out of fond memories of their grand mother, and to her perpetuation, that the contribution has been made. Mrs Meilly was a life-long resident of this city Here she was married and raised her family, and here was the home of her church as well as her domestic life.

The contribution today received came simply in the form of a telegram, asking the St Paul's church to accept this donation to the fund as an Easter offering.

Scarce a week has passed since the St Paul's Lutheran church purchased the Dr Burton property, on west Spring street, for a home for the pastor of their church. This will be occupied by Dr Richards and family soon after it is vacated by the Burton family.

STAINER'S CRUCIFIXION

Given Fine Interpretation at the Christ Episcopal Church Last Eve.

WIDELY KNOWN AND POPULAR CANTATA

Interpreted by Chorus and Leading Soloists of the City.

A prelude to the delightful Easter music which will be sung in Lima churches Sunday was enjoyed last evening by an audience which completely filled Christ church, Episcopal, to listen to Dr. John Stainer's meditation on the Sacred Passion of the Holy Redeemer, as sung in "The Crucifixion." A chorus choir interpreted the production, with Ernest C. Baird as director and Otis McBride at the organ.

The leading solo work was taken by Mrs. Anna Roberts Davies, of Gomer, Miss Lillian Johnston and Miss Halce Hutchison, sopranos; Mrs. Forster Robinson and Miss Aleen Kahle, altos; Gibson Dildine, Dr. Forster Robinson and W. J Booth as basses, Mr. Baird himself giving the tenor solos.

"The Crucifixion" is built much along the lines of solo work and from both a musical and religious stand-point, it is the most popular and widely known of the numerous Lenten cantatas The devotional and expressive work gave ample opportunity for splendid interpretation in the hands of Mr. Baird's chorus, who ably sustained their high reputation It is full of that tender spirit and dramatic dignity and pathos that stirs the heart

This was especially true in the "Processional to Calvary," with organ prelude, and the "Appeal to the Crucified," following the scene of darkness over all the earth. Here too, the organ was brought to good use, intoning the pathetic notes of the theme

It was the Good Friday story, told in appropriate music, the congregation kneeling or rising in chorale or silent prayer, in humble adoration to the lowly Christ.

WHITE STARS ARE OUT FOR REVENGE

Co. G. Team of Ada, Victors in January, Have Been Booked For a Return Engagement.

Another good game is assured at the Auditorium next Tuesday evening when the White Stars play Co. G team of Ada. The local athletes are thirsting for revenge because of the defeat administered to them by the Co. G team last January by the close score of 24 to 19, and the fans can depend upon it that they will see a great game.

The game will be called at 8 15 sharp. The management is making arrangements to take care of the largest crowd of the season Seats go on sale at Butler's drug store on Monday morning.

Children Cry

FOR FLETCHER'S

CASTORIA

A MIGHTY OPPORTUNITY—HOW MUCH WILL YOU SAVE?

Harman's Removal Sale

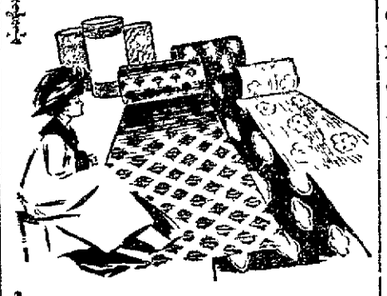
This sale offers you an opportunity to save dollars on Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Stoves, Ranges, Aluminum Ware, Enamel Ware, China and Porcelain Dinner Ware, Cut Glass, etc., etc. Everything you lay your hands on in our store is marked down. Everything from the basement to the third floor must be sold before September 1st, 1913. Former prices and Removal Sale prices in plain figures. Come in and see how much you can save by taking advantage of this Removal Sale.

Dining Room Chairs

Your dining room should be the pleasantest room in your house. Why not take advantage of our Removal Sale and get a good set of dining room chairs? Eventually you will get them. Buy now and save money.

Rocking Chairs

All our upholstered leather rockers — Rockers in Early English, golden oak, fumed oak and mahogany finishes. Large, roomy, easy fireside rockers at **$2.98, $3.50, $3.75, $4.40, $5.25, $6.40 up to $18.50.**



Carpets and Rugs

Your rug and carpet opportunity is now within your grasp. Our Removal Sale includes all our Wilton and Axminster Rugs; all carpets, linoleums and mattings go at a great saving to you—provided you act now. Over 150 styles of 9x12 rugs to choose from. Removal Sale prices, from

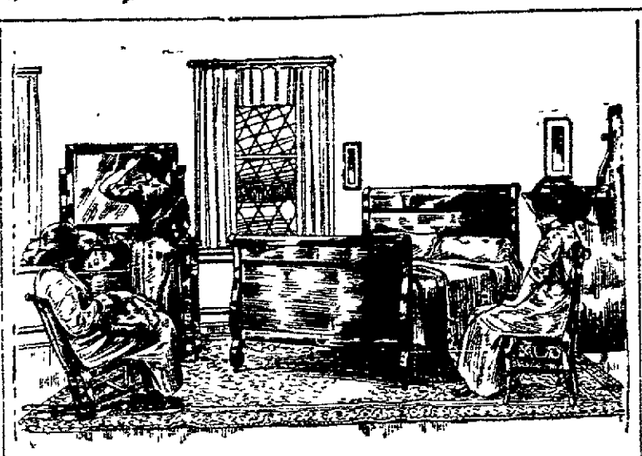
$9.50 up

Parlor Suites

Three piece Parlor Suites, consisting of settee, rocker and chair; mahogany finished and upholstered in genuine leather. Removal Sale price, **$37.50.**

Our China and Crockery Dept. should receive the attention of all economical women. You should visit our basement and see for yourself the fascinating displays of dinner ware, china and porcelain dinner sets, fruit sets, bread and butter sets and everything you will need to re-freshen your kitchen after house cleaning.

After Sept. 1st, 1913, we will be in our New Building, corner of Market and Elizabeth Sts.



To have bedroom furniture that you would really like to have your friends see, is a great pleasure. We have bed room furniture in beautiful oak, mahogany, and Circassan walnut. Especally are we proud of our Circassian walnut bed room furniture. We can more than please you in this line. Surely you'll come in and look at this beautiful furniture—and there's so much of it.

HELP US MOVE.

We must give possession of our present building September 1st, 1913. Our store is full of bargains for economical buyers. How much will you save during our Removal Sale? You will be helping us move when you buy here.

Take An Inventory of Your Household Needs

You will soon be cleaning house. And what a fortunate happening—**our Great Removal Sale** coming just at the time when Spring is almost upon us, and the home needs to be brightened and re-furnished with just the things we are offering you, at prices which mean a saving of a nickel here and a dime there—and every woman wants to save these nickels and dimes. How many nickels and dimes will you save?

Stoves and Ranges

Those who intend buying a Base Burner next winter can save $10 to $15 by buying now at our Removal Sale prices and have us deliver it any time before September 1st, 1913.

Garland Ranges. Six-hole Garland Ranges with high closet and reservoir. Burns coal, coke, wood or gas. Our regular $45 ranges go at Removal Sale Price. **$31.50.**

Combination Range with high closet, burns coal, coke or gas. You can save $15 now by taking advantage of our Removal Sale. Regular price $60.00 —Removal Sale Price **$45.00.**

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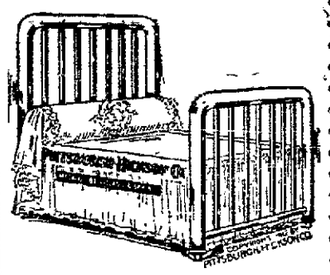
Library Tables

All our Library Tables in Early English, golden oak and mahogany are being sacrificed to move them. Save $10 or more by taking advantage of our Removal Sale prices—**$7.50, $8.98, $9.50, $16.50 up to $22.50.**



Brass Beds

Brass Beds have advanced from 15 to 25 per cent on the old price. You are buying these beds with the discount on the old price. Now is the time to furnish that spare room with a nice brass bed, either bright or satin finish, **at $8.75, $13.50, $15. $23.75 and $32.50.**

Parlor Cabinets

Mahogany Parlor Cabinets with French plate mirrors. Very handsome cabinets, at

$6, $6.50, $9.50 $18.50, $25

Our Removal Sale offers to newlyweds and those contemplating the furnishing of a home an opportunity to save a considerable sum on their outfits. We specialize on furnishing the home complete. Come in and see what a saving it means in dollars and cents to you by taking advantage of our Removal Sale Prices.

We want all our old friends and lots of new ones to come with us to our new store.

STATE LEAGUE MEETING TOMOROW

Matters of Great Importance To Be Discussed at Portsmouth Tomorrow.

President Read of the Ohio State league has issued a call for a special meeting of the Ohio State league magnates to be held at Portsmouth tomorrow. The object of the meeting is being closely guarded, and it is expected that matters of great importance are to be discussed

Since the northern Ohio cities have dropped out of the league, Portsmouth has become the headquarters of the organization, and all future league meetings will be held in the River City. The magnates found the trip to Columbus too long and tiresome, and favored holding the meeting in a city more centrally located.

Unless the league is enlarged, the circuit this year will be composed of Portsmouth, Chillicothe, Hamilton, Ironton and Charleston and Huntington, West Virginia.

"POP" IN JAIL AGAIN.

Wheeling, W Va, March 22 — Clyde alias Pop Shipman, of Martin's Ferry Ohio, is in jail here today charged with robbing the post office at Bethesda, Ohio two weeks ago He has served time at Columbus for robbery.

IN QUIETUDE OF THE HOME

Mrs. Grace Johnson Catt Becomes Wife of Robert B. Tolan.

HAPPY COUPLE LEFT AT ONCE FOR SOUTH

Showers of Congratulations in Store for Them When They Return.

In the quietude of the bride's home, at 218A west High street, and in the presence of their respective immediate families, Mrs Grace Johnston Catt was united in marriage to Robert B. Tolan at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. Thomas Knox, pastor of the Market Street Presbyterian church performed the ceremony, immediately after which Mr. and Mrs. Tolan left for a week's sojourn through southern Ohio and Kentucky.

Both Mr. and Mrs Tolan are well known in Lima and their friends who are legion, while rather anticipating this happy time will be delightfully surprised that the event has been so quietly planned that none but the members of the two families had even an inkling that the wedding would be today.

Mr. Tolan, who is one of the most popular public officials in Allen county has, in his position as deputy probate judge, assisted many others in keeping secret the issuance of marriage licenses until the bride and groom have departed, and in this happy event of this afternoon "Bob" was none the less successful in keeping the secret, especially as the affair had to do with him and his.

Those witnessing the quiet but happy event were Mr. and Mrs Clair Tolan, D H Tolan, Warren Catt and Miss Mildred Catt.

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